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DUNNE FAVORS HEARING ON RAILROADS' REQUEST

ASK GOVERNOR'S CO-OPERATION IN OBTAINING RATE INCREASE

State Executive Receives Presidents and Officials of Eleven Roads Operating in the State—To Introduce Bill to Amend Passenger Fare Statute.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 3.—Governor Dunne tonight announced that he favors a full legislative investigation and hearing on the application made today by middlewest railroads for an increase from two to two and one half cents per mile in the passenger rates in Illinois.

Presidents and officials of eleven railroads operating in this state, called on Governor Dunne this morning and requested his co-operation in obtaining the coveted legislation. They announced that they will conduct a popular campaign throughout the state, sending speakers to address commercial and civic organizations and that in due course a bill to amend the present pasenger fare statute will be introduced in the legislature.

Governor Dunne did not answer the railroad representatives this morning but sent them the following communication tonight:

"In answer to your communication of this date, I would respectfully state that I favor a full and fair hearing upon your application to increase passenger rates from two to two and one half cents per mile and I have no doubt the legislature will give you such a hearing.

"Whether the prayer of the petition should be granted is dependent upon many facts which can only be developed by a painstaking investigation. I do not believe there is any disposition on the part of the people of the state on confiscatory rates.

"Our present two-cent rate, however, has been in effect without any vigorous protest on the part of the railroads for nearly eight years and if the rate is to be increased you must be prepared to satisfy the representatives of the people that the present two-cent rate is clearly unfair and unremunerative. You should be given ample opportunity to be heard fairly and fully upon the question and I shall keep myself fully advised of all the facts brought out in such hearing. Should the matter reach me for official consideration, I shall endeavor to fairly and justly to both the people and the railroads of this state without favoring either unremunerative or extortionate charges."

Practically the same plea was made to the governor in relation to an increase in passenger rates as was made recently to the inter-state commerce commission by the eastern railroads when making application for an increase in freight rates, which was granted.

The railroad men stated that for years the railroads have been facing a condition of stationary or declining rates for their passenger service while the cost of operation, due to advances in wages, materials and supplies to regulatory legislation to installation of safety devices and to heavier and more expensive equipment necessitated by public demand for better service has increased.

G. H. Markham, president of the Illinois Central was spokesman for the railroad officials. Others who signed the petition to the governor and who were present at the meeting were:

H. U. Mudge, president of the Rock Island; W. J. Jackson, receiver for the Chicago & Eastern Illinois; W. G. Bierd, president of the Chicago & Alton; E. P. Ripley, president of the Santa Fe; H. R. Kurrie, president of the Monon; S. M. Felton, president of the Chicago & Great Western; Hale Holden, president of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy; A. M. Schoyer, vice-president of the Pennsylvania Lines; W. A. Gardner, president of the Chicago & Northwestern; A. J. Earling, president of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul. Attorney General Lucey and Secretary of State Lewis Stevenson also attended the meeting.

EGG AND VERRI WIN RACE.

Chicago, Feb. 3—Oscar Egg, Switzerlandfi and Francesco Verri, of Italy, won the six day bicycle race ending here tonight with 65 points, covering a distance of 2,804 miles and eight laps and beating the world's record set in New York last year of 2,791 miles and nine laps. Jimmy Moran of Boston and Reggie McNamara of Australia were second with 58 points and Clarence Caram, Jamaica, and Frank Corry of Australia, third with 54.

BRITISH STEAMER OVERDUE.

London, Feb. 4.—(3:35 a. m.)—The British steamer Oriole, which left London for Havre last Thursday and was due at Havre on Sunday has not been reported. Lloyds are paying fifty guineas per cent to cover her total loss.

Much alarm is felt for the safety of the Oriole on account of German submarine activity and fears also are entertained regarding the Steamer Barrowdale which has not been reported since leaving here January 21st.

PROMPTNESS IN REPORTING SYMPTOMS OF DISEASE IS URGED

Dr. Dorset States it is the Only Way to Prevent Epidemics of Foot and Mouth Infection.

Kansas City, Feb. 3—Promptness in reporting symptoms of the foot and mouth disease to state and national authorities was urged as the only way to prevent epidemics by Dr. M. Dorset, head of the biochemical bureau of the United States department of agriculture, who spoke at the meeting of the Missouri Valley Veterinerary Association here today. Dr. Dorset spoke particularly of the outbreak in southern Kansas, where four counties are under federal quarantine.

"In Maryland, Ohio and Indiana the disease was much more widespread than I think it is in Kansas now", he said. "By prompt measures of the part of stockmen those states are presumably free at this time. In Illinois, where an injunction was sought, there was a delay that produced trouble and caused the spread of the disease."

Dr. Dorset also told of the nation-wide campaign for the control of hog cholera that is being ushered in with experiments in sixteen counties in the United States. Pettis county, Missouri, Dallas county, Iowa, and Montgomery county, Indiana, where the work has been in progress eighteen months, provided results for comparison.

"In those three counties the increase in the number of hogs was better than forty percent and the death rate was decreased about 80 percent showing the effectiveness of the work", Dr. Dorset pointed out.

ALIENISTS DISAGREE AS TO MENTAL CONDITION OF PRIEST

CHICAGO, Feb. 2—Alienists who testified as experts in the trial of the Rev. M. J. Mullen, former pastor of the Holy Rosary church, charged with murder, disagreed today as to the mental responsibility of the priest at the time he killed Thomas W. Patterson, postmaster at Hillside.

Dr. Harriet Alexander and Dr. James G. Kiernan, witnesses for the defense, in response to a lengthy hypothetical question, testified that the Rev. Mullen had suffered from transitory insanity at the time and could have no recollection of the killing. Dr. William O. Krohn, called by the state in rebuttal, expressed the opinion that Father Mullen had been able to distinguish between right and wrong.

ASSERTS PLANS FOR BLOWING UP BRIDGE WERE MADE IN GERMANY

Van Horn Declares He Wanted only to Stop Traffic of British Supplies Over the Bridge.

Vanceboro, Me., Feb. 3.—In a statement tonight, Van Horn asserted that arrangements for destruction of the bridge were made in Germany. He said he was paid for the job but declined to say by whom he was employed.

"I really did it for my coutnry," he said. "We wanted only to stop traffic of British supplies over that bridge."

Van Horn said he intended going back to New York immediately and had no plans for destruction of other bridges.

"It was an act of war," he exclaimed. "I was on neutral soil. What can they do to me?"

Deputy Sheriff Ross said tonight that as he was holding Van Horn merely upon request of Attorney General Pattangale he felt doubtful about detaining him "much longer" fearing for his personal liability in the matter. He said he had received no instructions from state or federal authorities.

Van Horn denied tonight a report from New York that he had claimed to be the son of Count Karl Van Horn, former Bavarian war minister and general in the Bavarian army.

Apply for Extradition.

Washington, Feb. 3.—Formal application for the extradition to Canada of Werner Van Horn, charged with "attempted destruction of human life," was made at the state department late today by Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, the British ambassador.

ENJOY PLEASANT SURPRISE.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Sturgeon, northeast of the city, were surprised Wednesday by a number of their friends of the Salem neighborhood and an oyster supper was enjoyed in the course of a pleasant evening. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Worsham, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cully, Mr. and Mrs. William Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Kennet, Harry and Russell Thompson, Mary Elizabeth Phillips, George Worsham and Vivian and Mabel Sturgeon.

APPROVES APPOINTMENT.

Des Moines, Iowa, Feb. 3—The senate, in executive session today, approved the appointment of J. H. McConlogue as member of the state board of control. No action was taken on the appointment of Captain W. A. Duckworth, custodian.

The equal suffrage amendment is marking time in the senate and house.

Abram Metcalf of this city has entered the Salvation Army Training college at Chicago. He will take a six month's course.

"WETS" MAKE EFFORTS TO ELECT A SPEAKER

ATTEMPT TO OBTAIN CHOICE OF REPUBLICAN BY BI-PARTISAN VOTE

Browne and Supporters Are Said to Be Ready to Cross Aisle—Three Ballots Are Taken at Wednesday Session—Vote is Widely Scattered.

Springfield, Ills., Feb. 3.—"Wet" members of the lower house of the Illinois legislature were making strenuous efforts tonight to obtain the election of a "wet" Republican speaker by means of a bi-partisan vote thereby breaking the deadlock which has existed for five weeks.

It was reported tonight that Lee O'Neil Browne, Democrat, was ready with his supporters to cross the aisle and vote for a "wet" Republican, counting on the "wet" Republican votes and the votes of so-called neutral members to elect.

The same report had it that the Browne faction, which claims to control forty votes, would vote for Robert Scholes, Republican, of Peoria, tomorrow either on the first or second ballot and would then switch to either David Shanahan of Chicago or Edward J. Smejkal, also of Chicago.

Should either Shanahan or Smejkal receive 69 or 70 votes, "wet" leaders declared that enough "neutrals" would vote for a "wet" to make up the 77 votes necessary to elect.

Only three ballots, making a total of 49, were taken at today's sessions of the house. With the Republican caucus vote scattered since the resignation of Walter M. Provine as the caucus nominee fifty-two members received votes. Lee O'Neil Browne was high on each roll call.

The sixty-three caucus Republicans met in conference before the house session this morning and received the report of former Speaker E. D. Shurtleff, as chairman of the committee of eight that conferred with the representatives of the seventeen anti-caucus Republicans in an effort to reconcile their differences.

In his report Mr. Shurtleff expressed the conviction that had it not been for the unfortunate mistakes and misunderstandings either Pace, Lantz, Graham, Turnbaugh or McCormick might been agreed upon and he believes that within this list lies the possibility of a Republican organization of the house.

This suggestion is expected by many to give these members a pronounced prominence when the balloting for a candidate begins.

In the afternoon the sixty-three again went into conference. It ended in a decision to accept the proposal submitted by the seventeen last week without the elimination of the provision that all who have been formal candidates in the past be withdrawn.

With matters in this shape an afternoon session of the house was useless and that body was merely called to order long enough to take an adjournment until tomorrow morning. The seventeen were then apprised of the action of the sixty-three and their coterie went into conference to decide on a course of action. It was agreed to accept the proposal of the caucus Republicans, but in deference to Murphy, Gardner and Rentchler, who were absent, it was decided not to enter the proposed conference until tomorrow morning when the absentees will be on hand.

PLANS TO SAVE GOVERNMENT SHIP PURCHASE BILL GO AWRY

Revolting Democrats Flatly Refuse to Accept Concessions of Majority Agreed on at Secret Caucus.

Washington, Feb. 3.—Plans of administration Democrats to save the government ship purchase bill went awry today in the senate, but champions of the measure had not abandoned hope of success in an effort to re-commit the bill tomorrow with definite instructions for its amendment.

The revolting Democrats flatly refused to accept the concession of the majority agreed upon in the secret caucus last night and the majority leaders discovered early in the day that they could not muster enough votes for their program to defeat the coalition of Republicans and insurgent Democrats, seeking to send the bill to committee without instructions to be pigeon-holed for the session. Then the party leaders determined to hold off the vote and agreed in the meantime to openly castigate the seven Democrats who overturned the shipping bill program last Monday.

Senator Stone of Missouri was selected for this task and he delivered a long speech on the floor of the senate bitterly arraigning the "recreant Democrats who had endeavored to unhorse their party."

TO SING WITH ST. LOUIS SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

Mrs. Helen Brown Read will go to St. Louis Saturday, where on Sunday afternoon she will appear as soloist with the St. Louis Symphony orchestra. The concert will be given in Odeon Hall.

War News Summarized

The Russian naval arm has been coming more prominently into the war of late and Russia officially reports the sinking of a German torpedo boat by a Russian submarine off Cape Moen, Denmark.

While undoubtedly heavy fighting is in progress in the eastern war zone, there is little that stands out from the ordinary engagements which have characterized this compaign, with the exception of the extended fighting no going on in the Carpathians between Russians and Austrians and Germans, for the strategical positions which possession of the great passes would give.

In the west there are brief reports of German attacks and repulses but nothing of a spectacular nature.

The Turks have been repulsed twice by the British forces on the Suez canal near Tousoum, 35 miles north of Suez where they attempted to throw a bridge across the waterway and near Elkantara 40 miles south of Port Said, where previously—in January—they had suffered heavily.

The Bulgarian Premier M. Radoslavoff is authority for the statement that the attitude of Bulgaria with refence to the war is strictly neutral.

A report is current that the Greeks are industriously making Mobilization preparations and are continuing the fortification of their frontier.

Lieut. Col. Kemp and his command of Boer rebels have surrendered to the British forces in South Africa. Only Lieut. Col. C. G. Maritz remains of the four original South Africa Boer revolutionary leaders.

The new session of the British parliament will devote its entire attention to government measures relating to the war.

The opposition leaders, in agreeing to premier Asquith's resolution to this effect, said that the opposition intended to treat the present sitting of the house as a war session.

A German aeroplane which flew over Swiss territory has been fired upon by Swiss infantry, according to reports reaching Basel.

The German socitlists of the Reichstag have virtually read out of the party Dr. Karl Liebknecht for his action in voting against German war credits in the Reichstag.

MORE CHICAGO BAKERS RAISE PRICE OF BREAD TO SIX CENTS

In Some Cases the Weight of the Loaf is Reduced—Many Large Companies Join in Increase.

Chicago, Feb. 3.—The price of bread was increased to six cents a loaf today by many bakers and the weight of the loaves in some cases was reduced it was reported by the city dealers. Many of the larger baking companies joined the small dealers in increasing the price. This action was not due to any recommendation by the national association of Master Bakers it was asserted by J. M. Bell, secretary, who said he had been misquoted last week to the effect that the association had endorsed a plan to advance the price of bread to six cents.

"The association of Master Bakers has carefully refrained," said Secretary Bell, "from making any specific recommendation on this subject and its officers have not been in session since the present acute situation arose or agreed by correspondence to any statement on the subject. An increase in the price of bread is probably inevitable under prevailing prices of our but action to this end is regarded as a matter of local and even industrial concern; and therefore not a proper subject for action by the national association."

BALDWIN AND AUSTIN MAKE FURTHER GAINS IN RECOUNT

CHICAGO, Feb 3—Percival Baldwin and Henry W. Austin, Republican candidates for state senator in the 11th and 23rd districts last fall today made further gains in the recount of the ballots by a committee of the state senate. Austin's net gain today was 13 votes while Baldwin gained 11. The recount thus far has been more favorable to the Republicans than the original report which was questioned by the state board of elections.

SINK GERMAN CRUISER.

Buenos Aires, Feb 3—The Buenos Aires newspaper announces taht a German auxiliary cruiser, formerly of the Woermann line, was sunk on January 7th, off the Patagonian Coast by the British Cruiser Australia. The crew was taken to the Falkland Islands.

EXECUTE THREE CONSPIRATORS

Amsterdam, via London, Feb. 4.—2:45 a. m.—A Berlin despatch received here says that the execution of three of the conspiraiors in the assassination of the Archduke Francis Ferdinand, heir apparent to the Austrian throne, took place Wednesday in the prison of the Court Fortress at Sarayevo, Bosnia. The men put to death were Veljko Cubrilovic, Mieko Jovanovic and Danelo Ilic.

VILLA PROCLAIMS SELF PRESIDENT OF MEXICO

MAKES ANNOUNCEMENT IN MESSAGE TO HIS EL PASO AGENTS

Gives as Reason That His Forces Have Been Separated From the Convention Government—Creates Three Administrative Departments.

El Paso, Feb. 3.—Francisco Villa has proclaimed himself in charge of the presidency of Mexico. This was announced in a telegram from General Villa received tonight by his agents here. Villa appointed three ministers to take charge of the civil government.

Villa gave his reason for assuming the office that his forces had been separated from the convention government, headed by Roque Gonzales Garza as provisional president, who left with the Zapata forces when they departed south from Mexico City at its occupancy recently by Obregon's Carranza troops.

Villa telegraphed from Aguas Calientes under date of today the following:

"On account of communications having been cut off between the convention government and the division under my command and as public service cannot be interrupted in the extensive zone which I control, I have found myself obliged to assume the political authority creating three political administrative departments; the foreign affairs and justice department in charge of Attorney M. Diaz Lombardo; state and communications, General Luis de la Garga Cardenas; treasury and industry, Attorney Francisco Escudero."

Train Service is Resumed.

Vera Cruz, Feb. 3.—Passenger traffic between Vera Cruz and Mexico City was resumed today after an interruption of more than three months. Scores of Mexicans and many Americans went to the capital on the first train.

Begin Arriving for Conference.

San Antonio, Texas, Feb. 3.—Delegates to the Mexico peace conference began arriving today. Because of messages received that prominent Mexican leaders were enroute from Havana, California and Madrid, Spain, the date of the conference has been changed from Feb. 5th to Feb. 8th. Arturo M. Elias announced tonight that every political faction, every party and every interest in Mexico except foreign interests will be represented at the conference.

TO PROBE STRIKE CONDITIONS AT ROOSEVELT MORE THOROUGHLY

Special Investigator Takes Three Assistants With Him to Conduct Inquiry.

Roosevelt, N. J., Feb. 3—Patrick F. Gill, special investigator for the federal commission on industrial relations who made a preliminary investigation of conditions surrounding the strike of workers employed at chemical plants here, returned toady with three other investigators and said he intended to begin a more thorough inquiry. He will seek to learn if possible what would have been the conditions if the strikers had accepted the lower scale of wages indefinitely. At the Armour plant the strike was called off recently after the workers had been granted an increase from $1.60 to the former rate of $2 a day.

Strike leaders asserted today that the employers were trying to bring the strikers back to work at the Liebig and Williams and Clark plants for $1.80 a day. No statement was forthcoming from the company officials.

BOER REBELS AND COMMAND SURRENDER TO BRITISH

CAPETOWN, Feb. 3.—Via London, Feb. 4. (1:45 a. m.)—It is officially announced that Lieut. Col. Kemp and his command of Boer rebels have surrendered to the British forces.

Lieut. Colonel Kepm was one of the Boer leaders in South Africa who followed Lieut. Col. S. G. Maritz, General Christian DeWet and General Christian F. Beyers in revolting against British rule shortly after the European war started. The last previous account of Kemp was contained in a despatch from Pretoria Jan. 24th which says that 1,200 rebels with four guns under Maritz and Kemp had attacked Upington, Bechuanaland but were repulsed leaving behind twelve men dead and twenty-three wounded and ninety-six prisoners.

With Kemp captured Maritz is the only one of four original revolutionary leaders still at large. Early in December, General DeWet was captured at Waterburg and on December 9th, General Beyers was shot from his horse while crossing a stream and drowned.

STATE CLOSES CASE.

Chicago, Feb. 3.—The state closed its case today against the Rev. John J. Mullen, on trial on charge of murdering Thomas W. Patterson, postmaster at Hillside. The lawyers for the defense announced they would introduce testimony to show that the Rev. Mullen had been insane at the time of killing Patterson, but that he had recovered his sanity.

URGES CO-OPERATION BETWEEN BUSINESS AND GOVERNMENT

President Predicts Greater Shortage of Food Later and States Efforts Must be Made to Grow More Grain.

Washington, Feb. 3.—Co-operation between business and government in framing laws for the benefit of all the people was urged by President Wilson in an address tonight.

He declared that "we must all pool our interests" in order to discover the best means for handling public problems. The creation in the United States in time of peace of the same kind of united spirit which moves nations during wars was advocated by the president who remarked that "when peace is as handsome as war there will be no wars" and "when men engaged in the pursuits of peace in the same spirit of self-sacrifice as they engaged in war, wars will disappear."

The president predicted that while there is a shortage of food in the world now, the shortage will be much greater later. He pointed out that under the guidance of the department of agriculture efforts must be made by farmers in the United States to grow more and more grain in order that the world may be fed.

Speaking of the foreign trade of the United States the president asked that business men devise some way of allowing exporters in the United States to combine to secure common selling agencies and to give long time credits in such a way that these co-operative devices may be open to the use of all. He declared that apparently the anti-trust laws prohibited such combinations now but that he would favor a change if a method fair to all could be found. He spoke of the work being done by the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce in "surveying the world" for the benefit of all business men. Business men themselves are to blame if intelligent laws affecting them are not framed, the president asserted.

He added that they should come out into the open and use their knowledge of conditions to bring about fair laws to prevent business evils.

TWENTY STEAMERS ARE FAST IN ICE FIELDS IN LAKE MICHIGAN

CHICAGO, Feb 3—Twenty steamers are fast in the ice along the western shore of Lake Michigan between Chicago and Milwaukee, according to reports received today by officials of transportation lines, and there is no likelihood of releasing them until the wind changes. Low temperature and high northeasterly winds are held responsible for the fields of ice. The Steamer Alabama of the Goodrich line has been fast in the ice nine miles northeast of this port since Tuesday afternoon. There are no passengers on board and the steamer is in no danger. Six steamers are held fast in Milwaukee harbor including the Iowa, Georgia and Arizona of the Goodrich line and the Racine and Kansas of the Racine line and a Pere Marquette car ferry. Several other vessels are marooned off Racine, Wis.

FIND NO GROUNDS FOR FEDERAL INVESTIGATION OF ELECTION

DANVILLE, Ills., Feb. 3—News from Washington indicating that the department of justice had found no grounds so far for a federal investigation of election irregularities in this congressional district, caused the issuance by Clark C. P. Hitch of the United States district court of a venire of the regular March federal grand jury, to be deprived of political significance. It was generally believed tonight by political leaders that the announcement makes it unlikely that an investigation will be held.

ITURBIDE STORMS ACAPONETA.

San Diego, Cal., Feb. 3.—A radiogram to Rear-Admiral Howard on board the Flagship San Diego here, received today from Mazatlan reported that General Iturbide a Villa partisan, stormed Asaponeta last Monday after seven hours of fighting and captured sixty prisoners. His own wounded are being transported to Mazatlan.

The Cruiser San Diego left here today for Esenada to investigate conditions there.

KAISER GOES TO WILHELMSHAFEN.

London, Feb. 4—(3:11 a. m.)—A Copenhagen despatch to the Daily Mail says that the German emperor left Berlin Wednesday for Wilhelmshafen.

The Weather

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3—Illinois: Cloudy and probably rain Thursday. Friday cloudy and colder.

Temperatures.

The current, maximum and minimum temperatures recorded Wednesday were:

Jacksonville	29	32	25
Boston	16	18	10
Buffalo	12	18	10
New York	24	26	22
New Orleans	56	66	44
Chicago	20	30	24
Detroit	20	22	14
Omaha	30	34	18
St. Paul	—	—	12
Helena	36	38	26
San Francisco	52	58	44
Winnipeg	24	26	18

GERMANS CONTINUE TO ATTACK RUSSIAN LINES

PREPARE FOR ANOTHER ATTEMPT TO BEAT BACK FORCES BEFORE WARSAW

Comparative Quiet Prevails on Western Front—Russians Are on Offensive in East Prussia, Northwestern Poland and the Passes of the Carpathians.

London, Feb. 3—(10:30 p. m.)—With comparative quiet prevailing on the western front the fighting in the east, which is more strenuous and widespread, monopolizes attention.

While the Russians are on the offensive in east Prussia, in northwestern Poland and the passes of the Carpathians, the Germans continue their attacks on the Russian lines along the Bzura and Rawka rivers. The invaders reached the Rawka line about the middle of December and since that time have made at least half a dozen attacks in force against the Russian trenches ,each time at undoubted heavy cost.

Nothing daunted, however, they have been repeating the attacks during the past week and while they have made a slight advance it has been accomplished only after further great losses, according to the reports from Petrograd. Now it is believed that the Germans are preparing for still another onslaught, for only by compelling the Russians to strengthen their lines protecting Warsaw can they hope to divert the Russian attacks from east Prussia and Hungary.

Military men here hold to the belief that the Germans are attempting what seems virtually impossible in their efforts to force their way through to Warsaw. The Rawka and Bzura lines, which they have been attacking for six weeks, are exceedingly strong, for on the right banks of the rivers which the Russians for the most part hold, the ground is considerably higher than on the left banks, so that the Russian infantry and artillery have a decided advantage.

Should the Germans break through this barrier there is another line of entrenchments half way between the Bzura and Warsaw, with Blonie as the center, which would have to be forced before the Polish capital fell.

In the Carpathians the Austrians and Germans are offering vigorous resistance to the Russians and a decision has not been reached in the battle which has been in progress there for some days. The statement in the Russian official report that there has been fighting to the southeast of Uszok Pass in the interior of Dukla Pass and to the southeast of Beskid Pass, indicates the extent of the struggle for the possession of these important strategic points.

The attempt of a German submarine, as officially reported to torpedo the British hospital ship Asturius has attracted a great deal of attention in England where it is strongly condemned.

There has been another skirmish between the British and Turkish scouts east of the Suez Canal near Ismailia.

The Turks were driven off with some loss and the British had six men injured.

PLEAD GUILTY TO USING MAILS IN A CONSPIRACY TO DEFRAUD

Three More Defendants in So-Called Million Dollar Swindle Confess.

St. Louis, Feb. 3.—Three more defendants in the so-called million dollar swindle or Great Western Jobbing company case, pleaded guilty in the United States district court here tonight of using the mails in a conspiracy to defraud. They were Samuel Brown of Philadelphia and Jacob L. and M. M. Liebovitz, brothers, of East St. Louis, Ill.

Their bonds were raised from $1,000 to $5,000 each and the men went to jail for the night in lieu of payment thereof. Their change of pleas from "not guilty" to "guilty" came a few minutes before the close of court. All day the men had listened to Charles L. Greenfield, confessed ringleader of the twelve defendants, as he told how Brown and the Liebovitz brothers had helped him to establish seven stores in six cities and within eight months to lead these stores into profitable bankruptcies.

PREPARE FOR CONTEST OVER WILSON'S VETO.

Washington, Feb. 3.—Decks were cleared in the house today for the contest tomorrow over President Wilson's veto of the Burnett immigration bill with its literacy test provision. Opponents of the measure were confident it would fail by twenty votes to receive the two thirds necessary to override the veto. Representative Gardner made a speech today urging the house to pass the bill over the veto.

WILL PLAY CHAPIN HIGH.

The Jacksonville Y. M. C. A. basketball team will meet Chapin high school on the association floor Friday evening. The Chapin boys have been in the game longer this season than the locals, but a good stiff fight is expected.

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IS THE FEBRUARY
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The February born will find
Sincerity and peace of mind,
Freedom from passion and from care
If they the amethyst wear

SCHRAM'S
JEWELRY

"Locking the Stable After"

The horse is stolen is one of the favorite diversions of our Uncle Sam. Considerable agitation is being started to prohibit the export of wheat but by the time the facts are brought out our surplus wheat is gone. Professional politicians are howling for an investigation of the Baker, Grain Dealer and "Miller," blaming them for the high prices. In about 60 days they will know that the cause is the heavy exports and perhaps put an embargo on wheat and Cainson Flour. The "horse will be gone" and prices of Flour will go higher than ever. Better get your "Cainson" Flour from J. H. Cain & Sons while getting is good,and join the "Bake your own Bread from Cainson Flour Club."—Cain's philosophy.

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Already a number of people who signed the petition suggesting lower salaries for city officers have come forward with the statement that they really did not understand what the document was and signed simply because they were asked. Others maintain that they signed not because of a belief that the salaries mentioned are desirable but simply because they favor putting any question up to the people and abiding by the will of the majority.

The proposed ordinance changing the salary of the mayor to $900 and that of commissioners to $600 would have a better chance of carrying if it were to be voted on at a special election. To become a law the measure must have a majority of the votes cast. There are more than 8000 legal voters in Jacksonville now. Probably at least 6500 of them will vote in the coming election and it is not likely that more than 3250 of them will vote in favor of the salary cut.

Candidates can comfort themselves with the thought that if they find themselves elected next April and the salaries fixed at levels lower than their expectations, that not even the commission form act can keep them from resigning.

Someone said recently that the only right inherent in any man to ask for office is fitness to fill the office. That's just another way of saying that efficiency is the real test for public officials. Elect men who can measure up to this standard and the question as to the exact salary sinks into insignificance.

A test by Chicago assayers of soil taken from the farm of Joseph Algoe, six miles east of Pontiac, shows gold to the amount of $21 and silver to the amount of 25 cents to the ton. The soil assayed is believed to be glacial drift and lies about 8 inches under the surface. The find has excited farmers in the vicinity.

There is gold underlying practically all of the soil in Central Illinois if farmers will continue their old industrious habits and the newer ideas which teach that fertility can be kept up by crop rotation and the application of certain mineral substances. "This gold beneath the soil" is especially true now with wheat selling near the $1.65 mark and the prospect for high prices a year from now.

Seek Higher Rates.

The public as a whole while feeling that the railroads can afford to keep a two cent passenger fare in effect will be disposed to give the roads a respectful hearing in their petition for the right to increase rates to two and one-half cents. It is generally recognized that the condition of the railroads furnish an almost certain index to general business conditions and when the roads are losing money and curtailing expenses then the times are not good. The railroads represent a vast expenditure of capital and in some instances a vast amount of over capitalization, but the fact remains that they are entitled to a fair return on the amount of money actually invested. That costs of operation have greatly increased with passing years is undoubtedly true and this increase of costs must be met by higher charges for service or by greater economy in operation. The roads claim that they are using all possible economy and are now asking an opportunity to prove that the rates charged are not sufficient to meet expenses. They are entitled to a fair hearing.

What Thackeray Thought of Us.

In a big collection of original letters and manuscripts of William Makepeace Thackeray, which were put up at auction recently, is an interesting letter written by the great author during his lecture tour of America.

"I received your kind letter at Washington, where I passed some three weeks pleasantly enough. I saw the two presidents (they came together to my lecture) and dined at the White House in the reign of the late soverign, Mr. Fillmore. Then I went away into Virginia, crossing the pretty Rappahannock (where you know the Esmond family had their large estates.) It gave me a queer sensation to see the place, and I fancied the story was actually true for a minute or two—and that one might ride over yonder hills and come upon the old mansion house, where the little colonel lived with his jealous wife. I have come away from the south not so horrified as perhaps I ought to be with slavery, which in the towns is not by any means a horrifying institution. It is the worst economy, slavery, that can be, the clumsiest and most costly domestic and agricultural machine that ever was devised. Uncle Tom's Cabin and the tirades of the Abolitionists may not destroy it, but common sense infallibly will before long. The luxury of New York is prodigious and surely Solomon in all his glory of the Queen of Sheba when she came to visit him was not arrayed so magnificently as these New York damsels."

"One Way Out."

A book with the above title, published a year or two ago, told a vivid story of how two young people, on being forced to give up a regular salary and live on the proceeds of day labor, got along on a very slender income. One of the ideas emphasized was that they bought most of their clothing and furniture and a large part of their food, at advertised sales, where they got large reductions.

This is one of the most practical ideas as to how the cost of living can be reduced. It seems strange that there are people who will growl about high prices, and yet fail to take advantage of those chances.

Here in our columns is a constant record of genuine chances to save money. They are particularly in evidence at this season of year, when old stocks have to be closed out. But every week in a year there are good chances being offered by live merchants.

Newspaper advertising is so universally read that practically every one knows about these opportunities. But the spirit of inertia that is constantly keeping people from realizing their opportunities, keeps some from snapping up these chances.

Advertising cost is today recognized by every live merchant as a legitimate and necessary part of his business expense. Advertising through the newspapers or by some other medium does cost something. Good light, attractive interiors and fixtures also cost money but all of these things are recognized as part of the necessary expenses of doing business in the 20th century way. No doubt the consumer does pay the advertising cost just as he pays all other costs and profits that the merchant has, yet advertising brings to the consumer frequent opportunities for money saving.

Often these bargains go to the well-to-do, who constantly display the same qualities of thrift by which they won an independent position. Meanwhile many hard pressed people are too indolent to seize the constant opportunities offorded to save money.

The very first item in any plan to reduce expenses should be to read attentively the newspaper advertising, column by column. Special offerings, that you know you will want later, should be taken up on the spot. If you can buy for 75 cents today what will cost you $1.00 on March 1, do not let the chance slip by. When March 1 comes you will have an extra quarter to spend elsewhere, or to lay away.

"THIS IS MY 45th BIRTHDAY" John Mitchell.

John Mitchell, labor leader and writer, a man of broad and rational principles whose testimony before the Industrial Relations committee this month will portray the present views of American workingmen on the industrial unrest, is a product of the coal mines. The son of a miner, and a miner himself in turn, John Mitchell found time at night to educate himself. Through long years of patient study, he master-political economy, the principles of organizataion, and the basic principles of law. That he was successful in putting into practice his plans for the aid of his fellow workmen is attested by the powerful status of the American Federation of Labor. Mitchell has been recognized as the brains behind organized labor in America. Never an agitator or extremist, he taught men the advantage of co-operataion, and avoided the arousing of discontent.

Mitchell has surprised the literary world by his writings. He is recognized as one of the country's greatest writers, and his style and English is of the highest order. As a lecturer he is much in demand today, for he appeals to the reason of all classes and is the accepted expounder of the workingman's claims in American development and American life.

Mitchell was born at Braidwood, Ill., February 4, 1870. He worked in the coal mines when 12 years old. When only 19 he joined the Knights of Labor and travelled through the west, working as a miner and gathering information on conditions. He did great work in the organization of the United Mine Workers of America, and was president of that body when only 29 years of age. He was second vice-president of the American Federation of Labor for four years. He directed the strikes of the anthracite coal workers in 1900 and 1902.

MORTUARY

Pfeil.

Word has been received in the city of the death of Mrs. Charles O. Pfeil at her home in Memphis, Tenn., as the result of a surgical operation. The family was known here where they often visited and the deceased was a sister-in-law of Miss Amanda Pfeil of Jacksonville and was a granddaughter of General Winfield S. Hancock. Burial was made Wednesday in Louisville, Ky.

Loftus.

Death came to Sarah Elizabeth Loftus, at her home at 349 West College street, Wednesday morning about 10:30 o'clock. She had been ill since last July. Mrs. Loftus was born at New Hope, Pa., Nov. 1, fifty-six years ago. She came to Illinois when a child and in this city on April 2, 1879 she became the wife of Martin Loftus. Mr. Loftus died Dec. 23, 1881.

Mrs. Loftus was a member of Central Christian church and a consistent follower of this faith since childhood. She was a daughter of Levi Fisher and Margarette Kees of Pennsylvania.

Mrs. Loftus was the mother of two children, Mrs. Marietta Graff and Walter Loftus, who died in childhood.

The deceased is survived by the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. John F. Clark, of this city; Mrs. A. W. Armstrong of this city; W. H. Fisher of Chapin; L. P. Fisher of Franklin; E. E. Fisher, another brother, died in Topeka, Kas. seven years ago.

The funeral services will be held at the house, 349 West College street, Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, in charge of Rev. Myron L. Pontius, pastor of the Central Christian church. Interment will be made in Diamond Grove cemetery.

WITH THE SICK.

Miss Nettie Smith, who for several weeks has been a patient at Dr. Day's hospital, is improving satisfactorily and expects within a short time to return to her home.

George Vedder of South East street is confined to his home by illness.

Byron Ledferd, son of Mrs. and Mrs. Frank Ledferd, 1052 West College avenue, is ill with tonsilitis.

J. J. Mallen, who has been seriously ill was some better Wednesday.

Mrs. May Malody has been summoned to Kansas City, on account of the serious illness of her father.

Jesse, the sixteen year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Amos White is very ill at his home, 345 North West street.

Double Heeled Rubbers at Hoppers.

ALEXANDER GUN CLUB ADDS ANOTHER WOLF TO TROPHIES

Bert Davenport Downs Animal With High Power Rifle After Long Chase.

For the second time within a week the Alexander Gun Club has added to its list of trophies a large timber wolf and twice has Bert Davenport made clear his title to the "Nimrodship" of Morgan county. The wolf was killed early in the afternoon seven miles north of the village. The tracks were discovered in the forenoon by some of the members who were attending the administrator's sale of D. D. Robinson and the animal was soon sighted and slightly wounded.

The chase was long and devious and at the killing there were Mr. present besides Mr. Davenport, Ernest Strawn and William Wood. Mr. Davenport downed the animal with a high power rifle at some distance. The wolf is an exceedingly fine specimen and is somewhat larger than the one killed on the Sinclair farm last Thursday.

Mrs. Genevieve Clark Wilson sings in concert Friday evening, State St. Church. Tickets at Brown's.

The Philathea Circle of the Central Christian church met Monday evening with Mrs. George McKee on North Fayette street. Mrs. McKee was assisted in entertaining by Miss Jewsbury. Games were played and prizes awarded to Mrs. Nellie Sibley, Miss Grace Moses and Miss Lydia Ricks. Light refreshments were served.

Mrs. Harold Gay was hostess at an informal dance Wednesday evening at the studio of Miss Helen Robinson, South Diamond street, and the event for each of the twenty-five guests was most enjoyable. At 11 o'clock supper was served in the dining room, decorated in pink. Roses were used and pink candles with tinted shades. Mrs. L. F. Randall presided at the piano.

Mr. and Mrs. George Killam, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Thompson and Miss Doris Thompson ate dinner Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George William Foster.

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This drug store is at your elbow. We make a special point of delivering telephone orders for any drug store need. No matter how small or how large your wants may be, if telephoned here, you may be sure that they will reach you in the shortest possible time.

FOR CHILDREN, we have a special Cough Syrup which is pleasant to take, effective in action and absolutely harmless. Every bottle is guaranteed.

Roberts' Wild Cherry and Tar . . . 25c

For this week we will sell a 2 or 3 quart Hot Water Bottle or a 2 quart Fountain Syringe for..... $1.00

Guaranteed for one year.

You cannot get better goods than ours anywhere

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Coal comes from the best mine in that district—a free burning, heat producing coal. The mine was newly equipped this last summer with the latest improved machinery for handling coal—consequently its preparation is without fault. Our

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Hard Coal--Cannel Coal
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TODAY Two Big Features

Francis X. Bushman in
"Every Inch a King"

American Girl Wins King from Princess. Romantic Scenes of Court Intrigue, Love and War Shown in Photoplay in "Every Inch n King."
(In two acts)

CAST OF CHARACTERS

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Elba Allen ..... Beverly Bayne
Her Aunt ..... Helen Dunbar
Queen Irmingarde ..... Lillian Drew
King Livian ..... Lester Cuneo
Kevan, his spy ..... Bryant Washburn

Distributors of Shubert & Brady's Features—The World Film Corporation Presents

"The Lights o'London"
(In 5 acts)

The Strongest and Greatest Melodrama Ever Writen—Produced Under the Personal Direction of the Author—Geo. R. Sims.

Beloved Adventurer: Arthur Johnson in "Fate's Tangled Threads."

5 and 10 Cents

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TODAY

VAUDEVILLE
3 Musical Shirleys 3
"Aristocrats of Comedy"
Matinee Daily

FEATURE PICTURE
Craft vs. Love

Two reel drama Thanhouser, featuring Florence La-Badie and Sidney Bracy.

3rd Episode of "Runaway June."

"Our Mutual Girl".

Coming Friday and Saturday—The return of Hodge and Tyne's in a new show, new scenery and new costumes—"Running for Office." Prices 10c and 20c.

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The Return of
HODGE & TYNE
In a New Show,

"Running for Office"

New Scenery! New Costumes!

Running for Office. 15—People—15

Matinee Daily. Prices 10c—20c

Mr. Hodge will sing any song you name from the audience.

COMING—Thursday—Runaway June No. 3. Also a two-reel Tanhauser, "Love vs. Craft," featuring Florence Labodie and Sidney Buosey.

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ASSORTED SWEETS THAT PLEASE

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Grain prices are soaring but meat is selling at low figures and is the cheapest food you can putu on your table today.

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Extra Large Tubs	50c
Large Gilt Mirrors	$1.25
Round Tables	$9.50

DUNN'S

212 South Mauvaisterre St. Jacksonville

CITY AND COUNTY

Mrs. B. F. Graham of Arenzville was in the city yesterday.

J. T. Holmes of Orleans was a visitor in the city yesterday.

William Megginson of Woodson was a city visitor yesterday.

Ernest Wood of Pisgah had business in the city yesterday.

J. L. Nichol of Kankakee was a caller in the city yesterday.

Miss Fanny Ryan of Franklin was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Frank Wingler of Sinclair was in the city on business yesterday.

James O. Parker of Lynnville was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cully were callers on city people yesterday.

Carl S. Thornley was a visitor in the city yesterday from Arenzville.

F. W. Buhring of Mason City was a visitor yesterday in Jacksonville.

Morrison Sinclair of the vicinity of Ashland was in the city yesterday.

Miss Bessie Bergen of Petersburg was a shopper yesterday in the city.

Mrs. Lewis Roberts of Franklin was a shopper in the city yesterday.

Miss Myrtle Swain of Sinclair was shopping in Jacksonville yesterday.

Miss Ione Gallagher made a trip to the city yesterday from Woodson.

Miss Susan Russel of Woodson was a city caller a part of yesterday.

Mrs. Charles Duer of Meredosia is visiting with relatives in thec ity.

Richard Stanley of Joy Prairie paid the city a business visit yesterday.

A. J. Fanning of Murrayville was a business caller in the city yesterday.

A. B. Ring of Winchester spent yesterday with friends in Jacksonville.

W. B. Newby of Nortonville was a business caller in the city yesterday.

W. E. Ballin of New York was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

Charles P. O'Donnell was a visitor in the city yesterday from Winchester.

Mrs. Steven Ridder was a Wednesday visitor in the city from Alexander.

Mrs. John Jennett of New Berlin made a shopping trip to the city yesterday.

Elmer Smith of Concord was in the city yesterday attending to business.

W. D. Corsa of White Hall was among the shoppers in the city Wednesday.

J. D. Jones of Springfield was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

Miss Ethel Gibson of Girard was among the shoppers in the city Wednesday.

Charles Walker of Virden was transacting business in the city Wednesday.

Lincoln Lindsay of Literberry was transacting business in the city yesterday.

J. W. Finnegan of Virginia was transacting business in the city yesterday.

J. J. Milaitty of Boston was a Jacksonville business visitor Wednesday.

William Nicol of Bloomington was a visitor in Jacksonville Wednesday.

Wayne Metcalf of Peoria was transacting business in the city yesterday.

R. G. Patten of Springfield was in the city yesterday on business matters.

N. G. Beaudoin of Springfield was a visitor in Jacksonville Wednesday.

Miss Fanny Ryan of Franklin visited yesterday with friends in Jacksonville.

Mrs. C. W. Jasper of Manchester was a caller yesterday on friends in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Black of New Berlin were visitors in Jacksonville yesterday.

W. E. Seymour of Franklin was among the Wednesday visitors in the city.

Roberts Beavers of Literberry was in the city yesterday attending to business.

John Alderson of Chapin was calling on local merchants in the city yesterday.

Richard Green of Bloomington was calling on friends in the city Wednesday.

W. S. Corsa of White Hall was a business visitor in Jacksonville Wednesday.

W. T. Sooy of Murrayville was among the visitors in Jacksonville yesterday.

M. G. Zachary of Alexander was in the city yesterday on matters of business.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Crum of Literberry were arrivals in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Samuel Allen of Literberry was added to the arrivals in the city yesterday.

Grover Caldwell of the vicinity of Franklin was a caller yesterday on city people.

Mrs. John Jerrot of New Berlin was among the shoppers in the city Wednesday.

Mrs. E. O. Hess of Manchester was among the shoppers in the city Wednesday.

George Swain of the vicinity of Sinclair was a caller yesterday on city people.

Mrs. Wm. M. Brown of Rosedale was visiting yesterday with Jacksonville friends.

F. W. Berking of Mason City was a Wednesday business caller in Jacksonville.

H. H. Hardner of Beardstown was a Wednesday business caller in Jacksonville.

M. L. Parvell of Springfield was a Wednesday business caller in Jacksonville.

Mrs. Truitt of Springfield is visiting her niece, Mrs. W. F. Holscher, of this city.

J. R. Claywell of Winchester was a visitor yesterday in the capital of Morgan county.

Mrs. L. E. Orr of Petersburg was a shopper yesterday with Jacksonville merchants.

Charles O. Seymour was in the city yesterday from Hart's Prairie, near Franklin.

E. H. Peine of Blackwell, Ark., was in the city on professional business yesterday.

Elmer Smith of the vicinity of Grace Chapel was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Mrs. J. H. Hubbs of Prentice was a shopper yesterday with Jacksonville merchants.

Harry Gray of Alexander was among the Wednesday business callers in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hopper of Sinclair were visitors in Jacksonville Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Walters of the Arnold neighborhood were city visitors yesterday.

Mrs. Charles Mathews of the east part of the county was a shopper in the city yesterday.

Fred S. Stratford, a citizen of Rosedale, visited friends in Jacksonville yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Mitchell of Roodhouse were visitors in Jacksonville Wednesday.

G. L. Tindall, wife and children were in the city yesterday from the vicinity of Antioch.

Mr. and Mrs. Meier Seligman of Athens were among the shoppers in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cade were representatives of Murrayville in the city yesterday.

W. H. Kasten of St. Louis was transacting business with local merchants Wednesday.

Constable A. Ferguson made a trip to Alexander Tuesday morning on official business.

W. H. Kinnison of Winchester is visiting at the home of his mother on South East street.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ryan of Franklin were among the visitors in Jacksonville Wednesday.

Mrs. H. Yeck and son Walter were among the arrivals in the city yesterday from Concord.

C. H. Boone, representative of the Hupmobile was in the city from Beardstown Wednesday.

W. F. Baker of Rochester, N. Y., was among the business callers in Jacksonville Wednesday.

Thomas Willerton made a visit to Murrayville Wednesday afternoon on professional business.

J. B. Owen of Milwaukee was transacting business in the city with local merchants Wednesday.

Miss Pearl Robinson of Prentice is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Shibe of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Crum and D. H. Crum of Literberry were visitors in the city Wednesday.

James Middleton of the Joy Prairie neighborhood was among the Wednesday visitors in the city.

Mrs. Edward Tanner has returned from St. Louis where she was a guest of her daughter, Mrs. M. H. Post.

Mrs. E. T. Harrison of Waverly called in the city Wednesday on her way to Havana for a few days' visit with friends.

Miss Stella Walcott of Bunker Hill was in the city Wednesday enroute to Carrollton to visit with relatives and friends.

Mrs. A. G. Shafer of the northern part of Cass county was among the shoppers with Jacksonville merchants yesterday.

J. W. Guthrie, foreman of the Virginia Timber company at Pekin, is at home for a short vacation at his residence, 1337 South Clay avenue.

Mrs. Duard Wells and daughter Frances of Beardstown were in the city Wednesday on their way to Mt. Sterling to visit with relatives and friends.

R. P. Shackelford, a prominent citizen of Jerseyville, called yesterday on his old time friend, W. D. Roberts, the south side grocer and druggist.

Mrs. William Bozarth of Hebron, Neb. has ended a visit with her nephew, Arthur Vannier, and family and has gone to visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. Richard Vannier of Neelyville.

O. Williams of the University of Illinois is in the city for a brief visit with friends. Mr. Williams will be remembered as the star basketball player on the Granite City team at the tournament here last year.

Where Your Money Brings Good Returns

3 cans Van Camp's Pumpkin	25c
3 cans Van Camp's Lye Hominy	25c
3 cans Van Camp's Sauer Kraut	25c
2lb. can very fancy Sliced Pineapple	20c
Green Gage Plums, Apricots and Peaches, the can	15c
3 cans good Peas	25c
Fancy Sliced L. C. Peaches, heavy syrup, the can	25c
Fancy California White Peaches, large can	30c
Silver Crown Gelatine, the pkg.	10c
Pancake or Buckwheat Flour, the package	08c
A good pepper sauce, the bottle	08c
2 bars Sweet Heart soap	09c
7 bars Swifts Borax Soap	25c
3 lbs. best Scotch Peas	24c
Pearl Barley, the package	10c
10 lbs. Bucket Best Corn Syrup	45c

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Ladies' Patent Leather Cloth Top Shoes. Regular $3.00 and $3.50 shoes at
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Short vamps on stage last.

LOT NO. 3.
Baby Doll Gun Buttons. Regular $3.00 shoe at
$2.15
All $2.50 shoes at
$2.00

LOT NO. 4.
Men's Superior $5.00 and $6.00 grades for
$2.90
Less than manufacturer's cost.

LOT NO. 5
All Men's $3.00 shoes in tan and black at
$2.60

LOT NO. 6
Men's Work Shoes at a great saving.
Rubber Boots at
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NEW SALARY ORDINANCE HAS BEEN FILED

Fixes Pay of Mayor at $900 and Commissioners, $600—Must be Passed by Council or Submitted to Voters at Election.

The petition asking the city council to pass an ordinance fixing the salary of commissioners at $600 and that of mayor at $900 has been filed with City Clerk Pyatt. The petition has the names of about 375 citizens attached and the genuineness of the signatures is attested by J. E. Stice, E. F. Baker, John Minter and Irvin DeLess.

Under the provisions of the commission form of government law it now becomes the duty of the city council to pass the ordinance within thirty days or to submit the same to the people to vote upon at the general election to be held April 20. Had the petition been filed earlier it would have been the duty of the council to either pass the ordinance or submit it at a special election.

The filing of the petition has caused the discussion of several possible legal points in connection therewith. There are people who believe that the council might pass the ordinance and subsequently, possibly at the last two meetings during the term, pass an ordinance which would repeal it. If the ordinance is passed by the council and remains upon the statute books, it is the general understanding that a succeeding council could not repeal it, that is, if their intention was to increase the salaries as outlined in this ordinance.

None of the present commissioners have expressed their views on the matter, but it is likely that they will not take action themselves upon the ordinance but will cause it to be submitted to the people in accordance with the commission form law. Certain it is that if the ordinance is submitted to the people and is passed by them, it cannot be repealed by a vote of this or a succeeding council, and the only way that it could be abolished would be by another vote of the people. The petition has attached a larger number of names than the law requires, but it does not necessarily follow that every person who signed the petition is in favor of reducing salaries to the figures mentioned. There are a great many people who are willing to sign a petition to submit any question to a vote of the people. Their position is that whether they themselves are in favor of, or opposed to, a question, that they are willing for the matter to be decided by majority of the people and as the majority rules they are willing to stand.

The language of the petition is as follows:

"To the city council of the city of Jacksonville in the county of Morgan and state of Illinois:

"We, the undersigned electors of the city of Jacksonville, county of Morgan and state of Illinois, do by this petition submit the following ordinance for said city and request that said ordinance be submitted to a vote of the people of said city if the same be not passed by the said council:

"An ordinance fixing the salaries of the mayor and commissioners of the city of Jacksonville, Illinois.

"Be it ordained by the council of the city of Jacksonville in the state of Illinois:

"Section 1—That the annual salary of the mayor be and the same is hereby fixed at the sum of nine hundred (900) dollars.

"That the annual salary of each of the commissioners be and the same is hereby fixed at six hundred (600) dollars.

"Section 2—All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed."

R. A. GATES

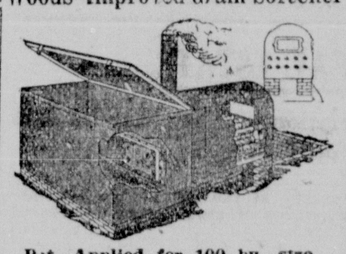
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We find by putting soda in the corn wher cooking it helps make the corn more digestible enough to pay for the soda, and keeps the hogs in a healthy condition We also make all the charcoal we need by closing the draft so it can not get air, when we have a bed of live coals. Yours for producing more beef and pork.

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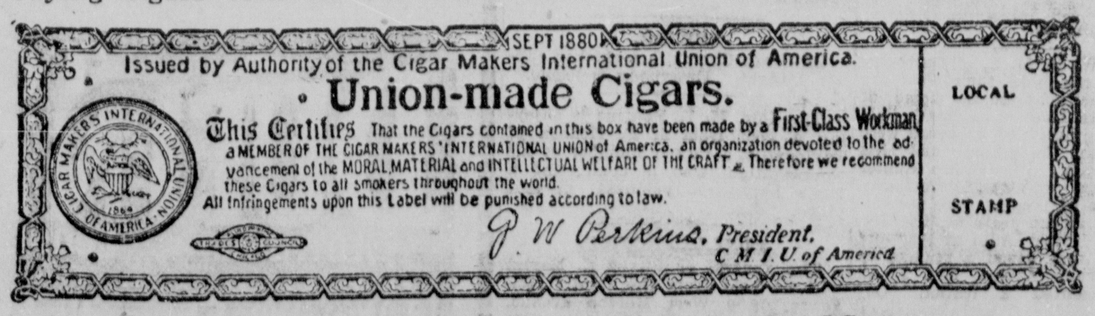
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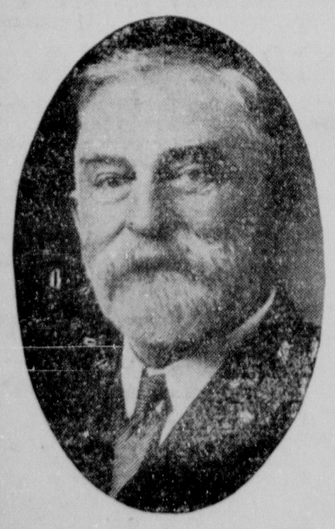
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MISS GEORGINA ROBERTS WEDS SPRINGFIELD MAN

Becomes the Bride of Mr. C. Ernest Reed in Pretty Ceremony at the Home of Bride's Grandmother.

A pretty home wedding was solemnized Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock, when Miss Georgina Roberts became the bride of Mr. C. Ernest Reed of Springfield, the ceremony taking place at the home of the bride's grandmother, Mrs. Anna Ferguson, 326 East College avenue. The marriage was witnessed by a number of friends including several from Springfield. The bride wore a dress of white crepe-de-chene and carried bride's roses.

The house was prettily decorated for the occasion with roses, carnation, ferns and in the parlor where the marriage took place there was a beautiful arch built, under which the young people stood while the vows were plighted. The wedding march from Lohengrin was played by Miss Fannie Mouchman.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Roberts and is a young woman of many accomplishments. Most of the time for the past four years she has been making her home in Springfield.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Reed, Sr. of Springfield and is a young man of ability and integrity. His father is supervisor of the Sangamon County Poor Farm and the young man will assist his father in this work.

Among the guests present from Springfield were Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Reed, Mr. and Mrs. John Fitzhugh, Mrs. Matilda Elkin, Misses Edna and Helen Reed, Anna Wieland and Margaret Huffman; Mrs. Maurice Kessler of Auburn; Mrs. J. V. Baptist and Miss Fannie Mouchman of this city.

The young people received a number of appreciative presents. They left last night over the 9:45 Wabash train for Springfield and will reside at the home of his parents in Buffalo, Ill.

ILLINOIS COLLEGE LOSES TO HEDDING INSTITUTION

(Special to Journal)

Lombard, Ills., Feb. 3.—Illinois college basketball team of Jacksonville was defeated here tonight by Hedding college, by a score of 20 to 36.

Wesleyan, 32; Millikin, 24.

Normal, 34; William and Vashti, 13.

$6.00 wool serge dresses, $1.98 at The Emporium.

LITERARY SOCIETY HAS BEEN NAMED "ILLINI"

The literary society of the 7th and 8th grades, which has been lead by Miss Hammond was given the name "Illini" as the result of a vote by the students. The pupils had suggested several names and from the list four were chosen as follows: Amateurian, Beaver, Illini and Agenda. The vote of the students resulted in the choice of "Illini." This society will hold its first meeting Feb. 26 and the society lead by Miss Wylder, which is to be given a name as yet, will hold their first meeting Feb. 19. These dates were a week earlier but on account of the formal opening of the new building on the 12th they were put later.

Dance M. W. A. hall Thursday night, Feb. 4.

DAVID PRINCE SCHOOL TEAM DEFEATS "CENTENARY CUBS"

A basketball team from the David Prince school met and defeated Fred E. Darr's "Centenary Cubs" Wednesday evening at the city Y. M. C. A. by a score of 20 to 12. The game was called at 6:45 o'clock with Harry Walker as referee. The seventh and eighth grade players were Earl Fitch, Eugene Milburn, Alfred Eades, Herbert Eades, Dewey Sieber and Arthur Brown. On the Cub team were Arthur Green, Harry Sandberg, Harry Weber, Glidden Reeve, Lyle Wiant, John Wood and Walter Crane.

Eureka College Glee Club Concert Central Christian Church Feb. 4, 25c.

IS INJURED BY FALL.

William H. Thompson, Sr., was injured early Wednesday afternoon by a fall from the runway at his paint shop on North Sandy street. He was tripped by a snow covered cleat and percipitated twelve or fifteen feet on his head and shoulders. Dr. J. W. Hairgrove was called and he was taken to Our Savior's hospital. Yesterday evening at the patient's own insistence, he was removed to his home on South East street, though the full extent of his injuries are not known. He suffered considerable bruising and received a severe scalp wound.

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NOTICE.

Willie Peoples, (colored), 13 years of age, about 4 ft. 10 inches high, has disappeared from the Illinois School for the Deaf and Dumb at Jacksonville, Ill. Any information concerning him will be thankfully received by his mother, Mrs. Fannie Peoples, 1714 Baker Avenue East St. Louis, Ill.

MASS MEETING POSTPONED.

Having received a telegram to the effect that the speaker who has been called to address the mass meeting of the Baptist church Brotherhood which was planned for next Sunday afternoon, it is found necessary to postpone the meeting for the present.

MANY STUDENTS OUT ON ACCOUNT OF CHICKEN POX

Sixteen Cases Discovered in One Room in the Third Ward School —Will Fumigate Premises Friday.

Sixteen cases of chicken pox have ben found in one room of the Third Ward school and the students have been ordered home. The premises wil be fumigated Friday. Miss Olmsted, City Health Nurse, has been to the school in order to see that the necessary instructions relative to such a disease is complied with. The following from a phamplet relative to Chickenpox and schools may be instructive to some:

"Chickenpox is a contagious disease. You must keep the patient in the house away from other children and all visitors until the patient is through scaling. All other children in the house who have not had chickenpox must stay in the house. This is necessary, as they may come down with the disease at any time. School children in the family who have never had chickenpox must be excluded from school, Sunday school, theatres and other places of public assembly for two weeks from date of last exposure.

"Children of the family who have had chickenpox may attend school, providing a physician certifies in writing his personal knowledge of the attack, and the certificate is given to the Principal or Health Officer of the school attended. Patients must be given a thorough bath and complete change of clothing before going out.

"All bedding, handkerchiefs, clothing and other things coming in contact with the patient should be disinfected by boiling thoroughly, or using a five percent disinfecting solution of strong carbolic acid and water (three ounces of strong carbolic acid to two quarts of water), placing all clothing in the solution and allowing them to soak for half an hour or more. Scales and scabs should be burnt as they peel off. The house should be thoroughly fumigated."

SOCIAL EVENTS.

Mr. and Mrs. George William Foster gave a party and dance at their home north of Alexander Monday evening. Mrs. Foster was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. George Killam and Miss Doris Thompson. Part of the program consisted of some excellent music on the piano by Mrs. C. M. Strawn, Miss Cleary and Miss Thompson. The Misses Stice sang a duet, "When the Dew is on the Rose." Music for the dance was furnished by Mr. Thompson and Mr. Killam. Delightful refreshments were served and the evening proved enjoyable in every way.

The following were among those present: Mr. and Mrs. Worfolk, Miss Marie Worfolk, John Groves, Mr. and Mrs. Cleary, Crum Cleary, Miss Lillian Cleary, Mr. and Mrs. Killam, Miss Bertha Dunlap, Mr. and Mrs. Thomson, Mr. and Mrs. Weis, Misses Katherine and Doris Thomson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. William Becker, Mr. and Mrs. Hodson, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Strawn, Miss Mamie Corrington, Miss Mabel Foster, Miss Anna Moody, Miss Effie and Elsie Stice, Van, George and Frank Stice, Miss Sidney Robinson, Miss Emma Foster, Miss Ethel Flynn, Miss Belle Turner, Miss Vada Smith, Miss Josephine Ruble, Miss Ella Visser, Earl Moody, Orval Foster, Boon Nall, George Louthan, Lee, Luther and Owen Flinn, Robert and Ernest Visser, Harold Hayhurst, Nolen Smith, John Dunlap, Clarke Moore, Scott Davenport, John Kumle, S. B. Kumle, Wm. Hermas, Wm. Young, Ed Allen and Albert Smith.

The ladies of the Auf Wiedersein club spent a most enjoyable evening at the home of Mrs. T. E. Laurie near Savage, north of the city, Wednesday night. The trip was made via the C. P. & St. L. railroad. At Savage station the club was met by Mr. Laurie with a hay wagon, on which they enjoyed a ride to the hospitable Laurie home about a mile away. An elaborate six o'clock dinner was served and a social hour spent before the return trip was made. Mrs. Earl Cox assisted Mrs. Laurie in entertaining. The guest of honor of the occasion was Mrs. Earl Cox of Literberry. Among those present last evening were: Mesdames George Siegfried, John Phillips, Sam Hunt, Albert Phillips, A. H. Atherton, Wyatt, Robinson, Dodsworth, Simms, Wm. Lucas, Taylor, Fyffe, and E. A. Olds.

Mrs. C. A. Boruff entertained Wednesday evening at her home, 808 South West street in honor of the birthday anniversary of her husband, County Clerk Boruff. Among the guests present were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Boston and Mr and Mrs. H. R. Hart. A most delightful dinner was served and a pleasant social evening spent. The guests departed at a late hour with congratulations for the guest of honor and their hostess.

The Y. W. F. M. S. of Centenary M. E. church held their February meeting yesterday at the home of Miss Martha Hoover on South East street. The assistant hostesses were Mrs. Thomas Buckthorpe and Miss Minnie Wyatt. Miss Emma Hunter had charge of the devotionals. Resolutions of respect were presented relative to the death of Miss Nettie Swain. "The Child at Play and at Work," was given a reading by Miss Gertrude Atkins, Mrs. Frank Kitner presented a leaflet, "Our Adopted Children," and Mrs. Chas. Patten had charge of the mystery box. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess.

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FEDERAL GOVERNMENT ASSUMES PRIMACY IN STOCK INSPECTION

Shipments of Stock for Immediate Slaughter Will Hereafter be Accompanied by Federal Certificate —Dr. Scott Receives U. S. Papers.

The federal government has assumed the upper hand in the business of stock inspection for shipment, acording to advices received in Jacksonville Wednesday evening, and a complete report of all animals shipped will each week have to be sent to the Bureau of Animal Industry, U. S. Department of Agriculture. Dr. Charles E. Scott, who has been and will continue to act as assistant state veterinarian, has been constituted a "collaborating veterinarian" by the federal authority on the recommendation of Dr. O. E. Dyson of the State board, and will inspect cattle, hogs and sheep in compliance with the new federal regulation. He has been furnished with "Bureau Certificates of Inspection" and the consignments will have to be accompanied by such papers.

These "Federal Inspection Forms No. 97," the regulation provides, "are to be made out for each shipment and should accompany the same to destination." It is decreed that the federal bureau inspector shall at the end of each week submit a report to the Chicago office of the Bureau of Animal Industry, describing all shipments, giving the name of shipper, date of shipment, point of origin and destination and kind and number of animals." Similar regulations have been in force by order of state law but greater unity of action and greater efficacy, it is assumed, will be achieved by the federal system of control.

As has been mentioned before, no animals within the five mile limits can be moved either within or to a point outside the area, unless it be for immediate slaughter. By the new rule it is provided that "public stock yards in the free portion of the state are closed to the receipt of cattle, sheep or swine from the counties under any form of quarantine."

SUPPER.

At Grace Church, hot chicken supper tonight. Everybody welcome.

The Rev. M. L. Pontius is enjoying a visit from J. F. Henson of Taylorville, a former member of his congregation, who is conducting a large hardware business at that place.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

The funeral of Buker E. Martin will be held from the family residence, 500 West Morton avenue, this afternoon at 2:30. Interment will be made in Diamond Grove cemetery.



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AMERICAN LEAGUE OWNERS ADOPT PLAYING SCHEDULE

Question of Abolition of the Draft is Placed in President Johnson's Hands—Make no Change in Player Limit.

New York, Feb. 3.—For five hours today President Ban Johnson and the baseball club owners of the American League were in executive session here at the league's annual schedule meeting. Various matters of moment to the league were under discussion but at the close of the meeting the only affirmative action was the adoption of the playing schedule for 1915 which was made public.

While the session was in progress President Barrow and several International League club owners held whispered conversations in the corridors of the hotel but none of them was admitted to the American league meeting. It was expected that some definite action would be taken by the major league today in reference to the removal of the draft rule from the Class AA League clubs of the national association.

President Johnson's secretary announced that this matter had been discussed and that it was unanimously decide to leave the question or abolition of the draft in President Johnson's hands and that he will probably take it up within a few days with the other members of the National commission or some representatives of the National league. No change was made in the player limit of twenty five now in force in the American League, although at the December meeting of the National League that body reduced the number from 25 to 21 players.

As to the suggestion made at that time that none of the National League clubs should send any of its players to the training camps before March 1st., each year there was no discussion of such move on the part of the American league at today's meeting.

The American League will open its 1915 campaign on Wednesday, April 14, with Chicago at St. Louis, Cleveland at Detroit, New York at Washington and Boston at Philadelphia, according to the schedule announced today. The chart provides for 154 games by each club as usual and the season will end Oct. 7, with Boston at New York, though the otner teams will have wound up their quota before that date.

Since May 30 and July 4 fall this year on Sunday, the holiday doubleheaders are appointed for the following Monday. On May 31, St. Louis plays at Cleveland, Detroit at Chicago, New York at Washington and Boston at Philadelphia. The July 5 double-headers find Chicago at St. Louis, Cleveland at Detroit, Philadelphia at New York and Washington at Boston. The Labor Day games are Cleveland at Chicago, St. Louis at Detroit, Washington at Philadelphia, and New York at Boston. St. Louis gets the June 17 holiday at Boston.

As was the case last year, the conflicts have been reduced to four, so far as the National League is concerned and again they are all in Chicago, on Sundays. Chicago leads in Sundays at home, with 14, and is tied with the four eastern clubs with 13 Saturdays at home.

WEDNESDAY IN CONGRESS.

Senate

Considered nominations in executive session.

Adjourned at 6 p. m. to noon Thursday.

House

Resolution authorizing postponement of American auction of seal skins because of war depression of the market was passed.

Bill to dissolve the Roosevelt Foundation and return the $40,000 Nobel peace prize to Colonel Roosevelt favorably reported.

Representative MacDonald's bill to create a national employment bureau was reported favorably.

Passed bills amending navigation laws to facilitate operation of foreign built vessels transferred to American registery.

Adjourned at 4:55 p. m. to 11 o'clock a. m. Thursday.

EUROPEAN WAR NOTES

Basel, Switzerland, Feb. 3.—via Paris, **(6:20 p. m.)**—Reports received here say that a German aeroplane to day flew twice in succession over the town of Bonfol, Switzerland, about 15 miles south of Altkirch, Alsace. The aeroplane was fired upon by Swiss infantrymen but was not hit.

Paris, Feb. 3.—**(10:35 p. m.)**—The following official communication was issued here tonight:

"There is nothing of particular importance to report except that in Champaigne three German attacks were all repulsed to the west of Perthes, north of Mesnil-Les-Hurlus and to the north of Massiges.

"In hte Argonne a fresh attack at Bagatelle was repulsed by our troops during the night of February 2-3rd."

Cairo, Egypt, via London, Feb. 3.—**(7:12 p. m.)**—British forces had a skirmish with Turks yesterday in the neighborhood of Ismailia on Lake Timsah on the Suez canal. The Turks finally retreated. The British had six men wounded.

The engagement occurred during a sand storm but the shooting of the Turks both with rifles and artillery was bad.

London, Feb. 3.—**(9:34 p. m.)**—A wireless despatch from Berlin says the Berliner Tageblatt reports from Constantinople that Greece is industriously making mobilization preparations and continuing the fortification of her frontiers.

Petrograd, Feb. 3.—It is officially announced that a Russian submarine on Jan. 29th, sank a German torpedo boat off Cape Moen, Denmark.

LAWSON IS RECALLED TO STAND BY INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION

States Mine Operators Refused to Deal With Organized Labor Because They Realized Unions Would Force Them to Obey the Mining Laws.

New York, Feb. 3.—John R. Lawson, executive board member of the United Mine Workers of America from the district which includes Colorado, today told the federal commission on industrial relations that the reason the Colorado Fuel and Iron company and other operators refused to deal with organized labor was that they realized that the unions would force them to obey the mining laws, which he said they had repeatedly violated. Mr. Lawson, who was a witness last week, was recalled to the state after Mrs. Mary Petrucci and Mrs. Margaret Dominski, the wives of Colorado miners, had told the story of Ludlow and the battle there as they had seen it. Mrs. Petrucci's three children were smothered to death in a subterranean chamber where they had hidden when the tent colony was burned.

Mr. Lawson said that the only reason the operators had granted the miners anything was because they had seen the handwriting on the wall, placed there by the unions. As he testified he held in his hand copies of twelve Colorado mining laws. Each of these, he said, had been broken many times by the operators.

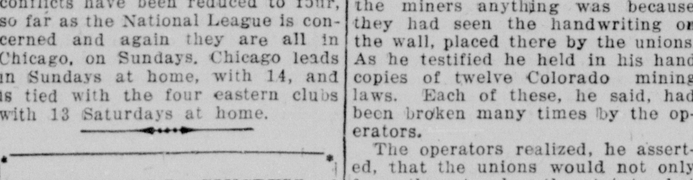
The operators realized, he asserted, that the unions would not only force them to obey the statutes but would prevent them from importing vast numbers of workers from Southern Europe who had never seen a mine before and then paying them what they pleased, working them as long as they pleased and keeping them in a state of poverty for the rest of their lives.

Jerome D. Greene, secretary of the Rockefeller Foundation and formerly member of the personal staff of John D. Rockefeller, occupied the witness stand all the forenoon session and a part of the session this afternoon. He defended the practices and policies of the Rockefeller Foundation and the aims and ideas of its founders.

CLUB TO MEET.

Allen Improvement Club will meet with Mrs. L. B. Wright on North Sandy street Friday afternoon at 2:30. All will be welcome.

Samuel Bridgman was a visitor in the city Wednesday from Joy Prairie.



PROHIBITION



In Russia none can buy a flagon of vodka or old rye; the men must ride the water wagon—the country's all gone dry. The law affects all grades of critters, the humble and the rich; and those who lately sipped their bitters now hit the pumpovitch. The ills of western prohibition you'll look for there in vain; you will not find there a condition that one might see in Maine. There's no relief for thirsty beggars, no help for Russian sports; the alleys know no cheap bootleggers, no hole-in-wall resorts. The old-time tricks that lead to drinking won't work there, worth a cent; a man may sprain his eyebrows winking; the druggist won't relent. Old Russia's brand of law prohibits, in country and in town, and soon her prisons and her gibbets will all be taken down. If some one hasn't told a whopper, about conditions there the country soon .won't have a pauper, which had them everywhere. The world will watch this Russian measure, so timely and so wise; 'twill watch, and doubtless note with pleasure a nation nobly rise, from abject depths of degradation, from lying in the ditch; oh, happy that progressive nation which hits the pumpovitch!

Walt Mason

OLD JACKSONVILLE

Our Congressmen

By Ensley Moore.
Member of Illinois State Historical Society.

It is usual to call members of the National House of Representatives, Congressmen, as opposed to Senators. This paper will treat of those who were residents of Jacksonville at the time of their election to Congress. Several others who have lived here at one time and another have become Senators and Representatives from other towns of this state, or from other states.

When Jacksonville is spoken of, in some cases, it may mean Morgan county.

Stephen A. Douglas, Jas. A. McDougall, perhaps John B. Hawley, John I. Rinaker, Wm. M. Springer, Wm. J. Bryan, probably Wm. H. Gest, Mr. Moody, Henry S. VanEaton, Chas. F. Joy and perhaps others, lived here; Moody and Joy near Concord.

When Illinois came into the Union it, at first, consisted of but one Congressional District. In 1831 the state was divided into three districts, Morgan county being herded in with Greene, Tazewell, Macon, McLean, LaSalle, Cook, (Chicago), Putman, Peoria, Henry, Knox, Jo Daviess, Mercer, Warren, Hancock, McDonough, Fulton, Schuyler, Adams, Pike and Calhoun.

Joseph Duncan was first elected from the state, in 1826, presumably then being a citizen of Jackson county, but he came here before the redistricting in 1831, and he was elected continuously from 1826 until 1834, when he resigned to become Governor of Illinois.

He was a native of Kentucky, a hero of the War of 1812, came to Illinois in 1818 (Jackson county) and to Morgan about '28 or '30, was a State senator, a major-general of militia, and a brigadier-general of volunteers in the first year of the Black Hawk War. He entered congress as a Democrat, and, as such was elected Governor, but latterly acted with the Whigs. He died at his home, Elm Grove, here, Jan. 15, 1844.

John J. Hardin was our second Congressman. He was born in Kentucky, Jan. 5, 1810.

Colonel John J. Hardin was one of the ablest and greatest citizens Jacksonville has had. In the face of unusual and continued obstacles he worked out a great career before he was thirty-seven years of age; and then, in a way, threw his life away in the support of the vicious Slavery system which inaugurated and carried on the Mexican War. For he was a Whig, and they were opposed to the War. But he was a patriotic hero, and listened to the call of his country. He came here in 1830, and was State's Attorney from 1832 to 1836, when he was sent to the legislature, and in '38 and in '40. He was a major-general of militia, serving in the Black Hawks and Mormon Wars. In 1842 he was elected to Congress. The district then consisted of Morgan, Putman, Marshall, Woodford, Tazewell, Mason, Menard, Cass, Logan, Sangamon and Scott, being numbered seven, under the second apportionment, in 1843.

The district was strongly Whig, and there were so many great and "self-acting" patriots in it that they would only allow each other to serve one term, else the office would not have gone around. This applies to Lincoln and "Ned" Baker also. Perhaps, after this, seeking "other worlds to conquer" led Hardin to promptly help in raising the First regiment of Illinois Volunteers, of which he was elected Colonel. The First regiment, understand! That is why the numbering in the Civil War began with seven, and should have been given to the 10th.

Col. Hardin "gloriously fell" at Buena Vista, Mexico, Feb. 23, 1847.

A son, Martin D., a graduate of West Point, became a Brev. Major General in the Civil War; losing an arm and almost his life at Antietam. John J. Hardin's daughter, Helen, Mrs. M. T. Walworth, was the mother of the D. A. R. Somehow no part of the country can do without the influence of Jacksonville.

Capt. John Henry next went to Washington, as a representative, from Jacksonvile. He was a native of Kentucky, born about the beginning of the last century. He served but a short time, having been elected as a Whig, Feb. 5, 1847, to succeed Col. Edward D. Baker, resigned. Henry became a Democrat in his latter days.

He was the first cabinet maker here, having come by or before 1830. A meeting to arrange for Jacksonville's first celebration of a Fourth of July was held in his cabinet shop in 1830. He gave a "Scrap-Book" to the town, which is now in the Public Library. He was a member of that wonderful fire company, organized April 23, 1840. He was elcted to the legislature in 1832 and 1834, and to the state senate in 1840 and 1844.

When Miss Dorothy Dix campaigned Illinois to establish a hospital for the Insane, her bill in the senate was in charge of Capt. Henry and it passed.

During the Civil War, when Col. James Dunlap was Chief Quarter Master on the staff of Major-General John A. McClernand, Capt. Henry served under Dunlap, in his department.

Capt. Henry's last residence here was in a little white house which then stood at the northwest corner of College avenue and Westminster street, it was afterwards moved, and now is on the west side of South Diamond street, a few doors below Grove street.

Capt. Henry had several children. One son became a distinguished citizen of St. Louis, and a daugnter married Mr. Erastus Wells, one of the leading business men of that city.

The old captain left here sometime about 1865, going to St. Louis, which remained his home until his death, about 1880.

Richard Yates, the Greatest War Governor, was the next citizen of this place to be sent to Congress as representing this district. He was first elected in 1850, the district being still numbered seven, as stated above. He was re-elected in 1852, but by the act of 1852 the district, numbered six, was made up of Morgan, Scott, Sangamon, Macoupin, Greene, Montgomery, Christian, Shelby, Jersey, Menard and Cass. The turmoil over slavery had gotten things to boiling at a lively rate all over the North, especially after 1852, and it was no picnic trying to get into Congress, when a man was pronounced AntiSlavery in his views. Yates was elected each time as a Whig, but the Democrats were gaining in this region, and he was defeated, when he ran again in 1854.

Stephen A. Douglas, Democrat, was then the political ruler of Illinois, and, referring to Yates' candidacy he is said to have telegraphed "Crush the little wretch;" and he was crushed as to votes, but not in spirit. He declared: "I will come up again on what I went down on," and became Governor in 1860, by Republican votes, and in 1865, he took Douglas' former seat in the Senate of the United States.

He came to Illinois College, and that institution, which "has been the making of Illinois," graduated him, with one other man, in the first class, that of 1835.

Mr. Yates was another of the great men Kentucky has furnished to Illinois, and was born about 1815. He came to Illinois in 1831, living at first in Sangamon county, about New Berlin.

Mr. Yates read law here with Col. Hardin, married here in 1839, and this continued to be his home to the last, November 27, 1873.

He entered political life in 1842, as a member of the legislature, being re-elected in 1844 and in 1848. In 1850 he went to Congress. He also enjoyed the distinction of being the only Governor of Illinois, whose son was elected to that office, Richard, in 1900.

Our last Congressman was Wm. H. Hinrichsen.

He was anative of Illinois, born May 27, 1850, and raised at Alexander; which his father laid out. His ancestry was a combination of German and Kentuckian, which was hard to beat. He took to politics as a duck to water; and, while an extreme partisan, could keep on good terms with the other fellows.

He first appeared in county politics when Irving Dunlap was sheriff, about 1874, and was himself elected sheriff in 1880. Those two men kept that office going between them, like a shuttle-cock for years.

Hinrichsen next turned up in the newspaper business in connection with the Courier here, and he sure did make things hum. He also was connected with the Quincy Herald for a time, and came up, in his only and original role, as clerk of the state house of representatives in 1891. Perhaps through that he became associated with John P. Altgeldt, and was said to have been very influential in securing the nomination of the latter for Governor of Illinois, in 1892.

Incidentally Hinrichsen obtained forh imself the office of Secretary of State of Illinois. The people slept on their arms and Altgeldt and Hinrichsen fell into their chosen offices, "by a large majority."

The people came to their senses in 1896, and Altgeldt foll out again. Hinrichsen had been shrewd enough to secure the Democratic nomination for Congress in this district, and again was elected "by a large majority." His residence was then in Jacksonville.

A new district, numbered sixteen, had been carved out by th eact of 1893, and it included Cass, Morgan, Scott, Pike, Greene, Macoupin, Calhoun and Jersey counties; what better could an amateur ask. But Hinrichsen put this part of Illinois in evidence in Washington, and was defeated for a deserved renomination. He passed on Dec. 18, 1907.

ASSOCIATED CHARITIES MEETING TONIGHT

James Mullenback of Chicago is to be the principal speaker at the annual meeting of the Associated Charities to be held at Grace M. E. church this evening. Supper will be served at 6:30 by the ladies of the church and the lecture will be at 7:30. The lecture is free and everybody is invited. A small fee will be charged for the supper. Mr. Mullenback will lecture on "Organized Charity Work."

SOCIETIES TO MEET.

The Ladies Aid society of Westminster church will meet this afternoon at 2:30 with Mrs. W. T. Brown on Sandusky street.

The Hospital Aid Society will meet at the hospital this afternoon at two o'clock.

The Fortnightly will meet with Miss Mary Johnston at the Woman's College this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

John Alderson of Chapin was among the city visitors yesterday.



Uneeda Biscuit

Tempt the appetite, please the taste and nourish the body. Crisp, clean and fresh. 5 cents.

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Round, thin, tender—with a delightful flavor—appropriate for luncheon, tea and dinner. 10 cents.

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No telling how soon the symptoms may develop into croup, or worse. And then's when you're glad you have a jar of MUSTEROLE at hand to give prompt, sure relief. It does not blister.

At first aid and a certain remedy there's nothing like MUSTEROLE. Thousands of mothers know it. You should keep a jar in the house.

It is the remedy for adults, too. Relieves Sore Throat, Bronchitis, Tonsilitis, Croup, Stiff Neck, Asthma, Neuralgia, Headache, Congestion, Pleurisy, Rheumatism, Lumbago, Pains and Aches of Back or Joints, Sprains, Sore Muscles, Chilblains, Frosted Feet and Colds of the Chest (it often prevents Pneumonia).

At your druggist's, in 25c and 50c jars, and a special large hospital size for $2.50.

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If You Can't Eat All the Meat You Buy

Then a portion of your money is wasted. There is a little waste in every cut (because the animal is built that way), but, there is comparative waste. You want the least of course. Come here. We pay cash which insures the best stock. We sell for cash, eliminating losses, and are able to trim your selections closer, making less waste for you.

Our new cash meat market, E. State St., op. postoffice, will be particularly convenient for residents of the East Side.

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Something new is an experiment.

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Now supposing you had a bad back,

A lame, weak or aching one,

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You will read of many so-called cures.

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Easy to prove local testimony.

Read this Jacksonville case:

G. V. Skinner, blacksmith, 853 South East street, Jacksonville, says: "I am convinced that Doan's Kidney Pills are the best kidney medicine to be had. One of our family suffered a great deal from kidney weakness and backache and was relieved in every way by Doan's Kidney Pills."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Skinner had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.—Advertisement.

WHAT'S INDIGESTION? WHO CARES? LISTEN!

"Pape's Diapepsin" Makes Sour, Gassy Stomachs Feel Fine at Once.

Time it! In five minutes all stomach distress will go. No indigestion, heartburn, sourness or belching of gas, acid, or eructations of undigested food, no dizziness, bloating, foul breath or headache.

Pape's Diapepsin is noted for its speed in regulating upset stomachs. It is the surest, quickest and most certain indigestion remedy in the whole world, and besides it is harmless.

Millions of men and women now eat their favorite foods without fear—they know Pape's Diapepsin will save them from any stomach misery.

Please, for your sake, get a large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin from any drug store and put your stomach right. Don't keep on being miserable—life is too short—you are not here long, so make your start agreeable. Eat what you like and digest it; enjoy it, without dread of rebellion in the stomach.

Pape's Diapepsin belongs in your home anyway. Should one of the family eat something which don't agree with them, or in case of an attack of indigestion, dyspepsia, gastritis or stomach derangement at daytime or during the night, it is handy to give the quickest, surest relief known.—Advertisement.

IF CHILD IS CROSS, FEVERISH AND SICK

Look, Mother! If Tongue Is Coated Give "California Syrup of Figs."

Children love this "fruit laxative" and nothing else cleanses the tender stomach, liver and bowels so nicely.

A child simply will not stop playing to empty the bowels, and the result is, they become tightly clogged with waste, liver gets sluggish, stomach sours, then your little one becomes cross, half-sick, feverish, don't eat, sleep or act naturally, breath is bad, system full of diarrhoea. Listen, Mother! See if tongue is coated, then give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the system, and you have a well, playful child again.

Millions of mothers give "California Syrup of Figs" because it is perfectly harmless; children love it, and it never fails to act on the stomach, liver and bowels.

Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs" which has full direction for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. Get the genuine, made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.—Advertisement.

CALOMEL SALIVATES.

Calomel makes you sick and you lose a day's work. Calomel is a nasty, dangerous chemical. To liven your sluggish liver and bowels when constipated, headachy, bilious, just get a 10-cent box of harmless Cascarets. They work while you sleep, don't gripe, sicken or salivate—Advertisement.

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OFFICIAL AMERICAN LEAGUE SCHEDULE, 1915

	AT CHICAGO	AT ST. LOUIS	AT DETROIT	AT CLEVELAND	AT WASHINGTON	AT PHILADELPHIA	AT NEW YORK	AT BOSTON	ABROAD
CHICAGO	READ	April 14, 15, 16, 17 May **9** July (5), (5), 6, 7 Aug. 16, 17	April **18**, 19, 20, 21 July 1, 2, 3, **4** Aug. 31, Sept. 1, **2**	May 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 June **20**, 22, 23, 24, 26 Sept. 29	June 12, 14, 15, 16 Aug. 4, 5, 6, 7 Sept. 21, 22, 23	June 17, 18, 19 Aug. 9, 10, 11, 12 Sept. 24, 25, 27, 28	June 9, 10, 11 July 30, 31, Aug. 2, 3 Sept. 16, 17, 18, 20	June 4, 5, 7, 8 July 27, 28, 29 Sept. 11, 13, 14, 15	Independence Day at St. Louis.
ST. LOUIS	April 22, 23, 24, **25** June **27**, 28, 29, 30 Oct. 1, 2, **3**	THE	April 26, 27, 28, 29 June **20**, 22, 23, 24, 26 Sept. (6), (6)	April 30, May 1, **2** May(31)(31), Jun.1,2 Aug. 14, **15** Sept. 7, 8	June 9, 10, 11 July 30, 31, Aug. 2, 3 Sept, 16, 17, 18, 20	June 4, 5, 7, 8 July 27, 28, 29 Sept. 11, 13, 14, 15	June 12, 14, 15, 16 Aug. 4, 5, 6, 7 Sept. 21, 22, 23	June (17), (17),18,19 Aug. 9, 10, 11, 12 Sept. 24, 25, 27	Decoration Day at Cleveland Labor Day at Detroit June 17th at Boston
DETROIT	April 30, May 1, **2** May (31)(31) Jun 1,2 Aug. 14, **15** Sept. 7, 8	May 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 May 28, 29, **30** Sept. 3, 4, **5**	JOURNAL	April 22, 23, 24, **25** July 6, 7, 8 Aug. 16, 17 Sept. 9, 10	June 17, 18, **19** Aug. 17, 18, 19 Sept. 24, 25, 27, 28	June 12, 14, 15, 16 Aug. 4, 5, 6, 7 Sept. 21, 22, 23	June 4, 5, 7, 8 July 27, 28, 29 Sept. 11, 13, 14, 15	June 9, 10, 11 July 30, 31, Aug. 2, 3 Sept. 16, 17, 18, 20	Decoration Day at Chicago
CLEVELAND	April 26, 27, 28, 29 May 28, 29, **30** Sept 4, **5**, (6), (6)	April **18**, 19, 20, 21 July 1, 2, 3, **4** Aug. 31, Sept. 1, 2	April 14, 15, 16, 17 June **27**, 28, 29 July (5), (5) Oct. 2, **3**	FOR	June 4, 5, 7, 8 July 27, 28, 29 Sept. 11, 13, 14, 15	June 9, 10, 11 July 30, 31, Aug. 2, 3 Sept. 16, 17, 18, 20	June 17, 18, 19 Aug. 9, 10, 11, 12 Sept. 24, 25, 27, 28	June 12, 14, 15, 16 Aug. 4, 5, 6, 7 Sept. 21, 22, 23	Independence Day at Detroit Labor Day at Chicago
WASHINGTON	May 11, 12, 13, 15 July 9, 10, **11**, 12 Aug. 24, 25, 26	May **16**, 17, 18, 19 July 13, 14, 15, 16 Aug, 27, 28, **29**	May **9**, 24, 25, 26, 27 July 22, 23, 24, **25** Aug. 21, **22**	May 20, 21, 22, **23** July 17, **18**, 19, 20 Aug. 18, 19, 20	THE	May 6, 7, 8 June 1, 2, 3 Sept. (6), (6), 7 Sept. 29, 30	April 22, 23, 24, 26 June 30, July 1, 2, 3 Sept. 8, 9, 10	May 1, 3, 4, 5 July (5), (5), 6, 7 Aug. 13, 14, 16	Independence Day at Boston. Labor Day at Philadelphia.
PHILADELPHIA	May **16**, 17, 18, 19 July 13, 14, 15, 16 Aug. 27, 28, **29**	May 11, 12, 13, 15 July 9, 10, **11**, 12 Aug. 24, 25, 26	May 20, 21, 22 **23** July 17, **18**, 19, 20 Aug. 18, 19, 20	May **9**, 24, 25, 26, 27 July 22, 23, 24, **25** Aug. 21, **22**	April 27, 28, 29, 30 June 25, 26, 28, 29 Oct. 4, 5, 6	LATEST	May 1, 3, 4, 5 July (5), (5), 6, 7 Aug. 13, 14, 16	April 22, 23, 24, 26 June 30, July 1, 2, 3 Sept. 8, 9, 10	Independence Day at New York
NEW YORK	May 24, 25, 26, 27 July 22, 23, 24, **25** Aug. 21, **22**, 23	May 20, 21, 22, **23** July 17, **18**, 19, 20 Aug. 18, 19, 20	May **16**, 17, 18, 19 July 13, 14, 15, 16 Aug. 27, 28, **29**	May 11, 12, 13, 15 July 9, 10, **11**, 12 Aug. 24, 25, 26	April 14, 15, 16 May 29, (31), (31) Aug. 31, Sept. 1, 2, 3,	April 17, 19, 20, 21 June 21, 21, 22, 23, 24 Oct. 1, 2	SPORTING	April 27, 28, 29, 30 June 25, 26, 28, 29 Sept. (6), (6), 7	Decoration Day at Washington. Labor Day at Boston
BOSTON	May 20, 21, 22, **23** July 17, **18**, 19, 20 Aug. 18, 19, 20	May 24, 25, 26 July 21, 22, 23, 24, **25** Aug. 21, **22**, 23.....	May 11, 12, 13, 15 July 9, 10, **11**, 12 Aug. 24, 25, 26	May **16**, 17, 18, 19 July 13, 14, 15, 16 Aug. 27, 18, **29**	April 17, 19, 20, 21 June 21, 21, 22, 23, 24 Oct. 1, 2	April 14, 15, 16 May 28, 29, (31),(31) Sept. 1, 2, 3, 4	May 6, 7, 8, 10 June 1, 2, 3 Oct. 4, 5, 6, 7	NEWS	Decoration Day at Philadelphia
AT HOME	13 Saturdays 14 Sundays Decoration Day Labor Day Conflicting dates: May 2, 30; Sept. 5; Oct. 3.	12 Saturdays 12 Sundays Independence Day	11 Saturdays 13 Sundays Independence Day Labor Day	12 Saturdays 12 Sundays Decoration Day	13 Saturdays Decoration (Day	13 Saturdays Decoration Day Labor Day	13 Saturdays Independence Day	13 Saturdays June 17th Independence Day Labor Day	

PROLONGED CONTROVERSY ENLIVENS SESSION OF BOARD

Debate Earnings of Promoted Engineers—Keefe Concludes Nine Days on Stand.

Chicago, Feb. 3.—A prolonged conrtoversy over the earnings of promoted engineers enlivened today's session of the board of arbitration in the western railway wage case. Early in the proceedings last December W. S. Carter, president of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen, then a witness and now acting with W. S. Stone of the engineers as counsel for the men, introduced an exhibit designed to show that even when a fireman is promoted to engineer he is still a long way from the so-called big salaries drawn on preferred runs.

The exhibit showed the earnings of selected engineers promoted since February 1913 "as engineers."

Today J. H. Keefe, assistant general manager of the Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe railroad, concluded nine days on the witness stand with an exhibit which he said completed Carter's, adding to the earnings of these engineers, what they earned as firemen, as well as engineers. The workings of the seniority rule, it appeared, frequently forces the young engineer to leave the throttle temporarily for the coal shovel.

The new exhibit corroborated Carter's to show that in February, 1913, the average of $86 a month earned by promoted engineers "as engineers" was increased to $108; in June from $87 to $108; in October from $97 to $122 and in February, 1914, from $67 to $103.

AWAIT PENN. RAILROAD INVESTMENT DATE

Camden, N. J., Feb. 3.—The attention of the financial world is focussed on the hearing which resumes here today before the Public Utility Commissioners of New Jersey. For information concerning a number of investments of the Pennsylvania railroad has been demanded. The financial methods of the railroad are being attacked in the hearing, which is called to thresh out the new increases in passenger fares put into effect by the Penn sylvania road.

When the hearing was adjourned on Jan. 22, F. J. Fall, chief statistican of the railroad was the witness being examined. In attacking the road's investments, Camden City Collector Bleakly asked for facts and figures on investments, which Mr. Fell declared it would take some time to compile. Particular inquiry was made by Solicitor Bleakly as to the $6,000,000 investment in the Susquehanna Coal company. According to the statistican the venture is paying 5 per cent interest, and he said it could not be regarded as a bad investment. The building of the terminal and tunnel in New York was also the subject of considerable evidence but representatives of the road declared this investment was made to provide for the future and had already increased revenues.

Together with the investment data, today's hearing will cover the commuters' side of the case. Dissatisfaction is general throughout the suburban section over the new schedule of passenger rates, which makes marked increases in commutation tickets.

TO BEGIN $5,000,000 SUBWA..

Chicago, Feb. 3.—Work will begin soon on the new $5,000,000 subway, for which an appropriation was recently voted. The contracts are being rushed so that ground can be broken and employment be provided for many men now idle.

ASKS THAT SESSION BE DEVOTED TO GOVERNMENT MEASURES

LONDON, Feb. 3—(3:56 p. m).—Premier Asquith presented a resolution in the house of commons today to devote the present session entirely to government measures. "There is no precedent for this resolution", said the premier, "but all our energies as a nation are concentrated on the war and every interest must be subordinated to this overmastering purpose. Accordingly the government purposes to take away the opportunity for private members to introduce bills and will confine its legislative proposals to measures for the prosecution of the war."

A. Bonar Law, speaking for the opposition, agreed to the resolution. He said that the opposition intended to treat the present sitting of the house as a war session as had been done in Canada and France.

GAMBLE MILLION WITH GOVERNMENT

Washington, Feb. 3.—A group of financiers interested in coastwise navigation have offered to gamble a million dollars with the government. They are willing to construct a lighthouse on the Outer Diamond Shoals off Cape Hatters, in treacherous sands and storm swept seas, on condition that if they are successful the government will pay $1,250,000 for the lighthouse.

The water is 30 feet deep at the point where the lighthouse would stand. The government engineers have bored through 1,000 feet of sand at that point without finding a solid foundation for such a lighthouse. But so great is the necessity, that the government may be willing to take the offer, for unless the completed lighthouse meets the approval of government engineers, it will never be paid for.

The business advocates of the plan have asked for congressional authority to go ahead with the work. The house committee on interstate commerce have reserved action on the proposal. Representative Small of North Carolina appeared in behalf of the financiers.

DANIEL BOONE HIGHWAY.

Mt. Vernon, Ky., Feb. 3.—A magnificent highway, along the plan of the Lincoln Highway, will be constructed in Kentucky to connect the north-central states with the southeastern states. Although only 98 miles long, it will establish an important connecting link. It will run from Crab Orchard, Kentucky to Cumberland Gap, through beautiful scenic country in the Kentucky mountains. The completion of "Boone Highway" will effect a clear road from Chicago to Jacksonville, with branches in every direction.

Mrs. May Van Winkle of the vicinity of Waverly is enjoying a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Scott, on South Main street.

OLD-TIME COLD CURE—DRINK TEA!

Get a small package of Hamburg Breast Tea, or as the German folks call it, "Hamburger Brust Thee", at any pharmacy. Take a tablespoonful of the tea, put a cup of boiling water upon it, pour through a sieve and drink a teacup full at any time. It is the most effective way to break a cold and cure grip, as it opens the pores, relieving congestion. Also loosens the bowels, thus breaking a cold at once.

It is inexpensive and entirely vegetable, therefore harmless.—Advertisement.

CHINA BEGINS CONSIDERATION OF DEMANDS MADE BY JAPAN

Conference at Peking Adjourns Until Friday After a Few Hours' Futile Talk.

Peking, Feb. 3—The first conference for the consideration by the Chinese administration of the political demands made upon China by Japan after the Japanese occupation of the German Kiao-Chow territory was held in this city yesterday. China was urged strongly, but vainly, by the Japanese diplomats to agree to all the Japanese demands in principle, pending negotiation of each demand individually. After four hours of futile talk the conference adjourned to meet again next Friday.

The demands Japan is making upon China are twenty-one in number and according to reports from Peking they are exacting and far reaching in their nature.

China has been described as disquieted by them. On the other hand Japan has explained that these demands contain nothing of a nature to disturb the territorial integrity of China and that their purpose is the decision of the future relationship between Japan and China as well as certain questions regarding the future of the Chinese republic.

Mrs. W. L. Bozarth of Hebron, Nebraska, who has been visiting her nephew, Arthur Vannier, for the past two weeks has gone to Neelyville to visit her sister, Mrs. Henry Vannier before leaving for her home.

OUCH! LUMBAGO PAIN! RUB BACKACHE AWAY

Instant Relief With a Small Trial Bottle of Old "St. Jacob's Oil."

Kidneys cause Backache? No! They have no nerves, therefore can not cause pain. Listen! Your backache is caused by lumbago, sciatica or a strain, and the quickest relief is soothing, penetrating "St. Jacob's Oil." Rub it right on your painful back, and instantly the soreness, stiffness, and lameness disappears. Don't stay crippled! Get a small trial bottle of "St. Jacob's Oil" from your druggist and limber up. A moment after it is applied you'll wonder what became of the backache or lumbago pain.

Rub old, honest "St. Jacob's Oil" whenever you have sciatica, neuralgia, rheumatism or sprains, as it is absolutely harmless and doesn't burn the skin.—Advertisement.

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SOCIAL DEPUTIES DENOUNCE ACTION OF DR. CARL LIEBKNECHT

BERLIN, via London, Feb. 3—(6:30 p. m.)—Dr. Karl Liebknecht was sharply disavowed by his party associates in theReichstag at a meeting today of Social deputies called at Liebknecht's request to take action on his attitude in voting against war credits at a session of the chamber early in December and on his later campaign against the Socialist party's executive. Dr. Liebknecht was not expelled from the party as its rules do not permit of such action but his case will be submitted to the next Socialist party convention.

TO PLAY SEVEN GAMES.

Minneapolis, Feb. 3—Seven games will be played by the University of Minnesota football team next season according to the following schedule approved by the University authorities late today:

Oct. 2—North Dakota University at Minneapolis.
Oct. 9—Ames, Iowa, Agriculture College at Minneapolis.
Oct. 23—Iowa at Minneapolis.
Oct. 30—Illinois at Urbana, Ills.
Nov. 13—Chicago at Minneapolis.
Nov. 20—Wisconsin at Madison.

AGREE ON CORRI TO REFEREE FIGHT

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 3—Eugene Corri, official referee of the Sporting Club of London, England, has been agreed upon as referee for the fight between Jack Johnson and Jess Willard, at Juarez, Mexico, Mar. 6, according to an announcement made here today by the promoter of the fight. A cablegram was sent to Corri, asking his acceptance.

R. F. McArthur who has been a guest for some time at the Colonial Inn, has gone to St. Louis for a visit of some weeks.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

For Mayor.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of mayor subject to the decision of the voters at the primary election March 9th.

H. J. Rodgers.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of mayor subject to the decision of the voters at the primary election, March 9.

George W. Davis.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of mayor subject to the decision of the voters at the primary election, March 9.

U. G. Woodman.

For City Commissioner.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of city commissioner subject to the decision of the voters at the primary election March 9th.

William Newman.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of city commissioner subject to the decision of the voters at the primary election March 9th.

George P. Davis.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of city commissioner subject to the decision of the voters of the primary election, Mar. 9th.

Jerry Cox.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of city commissioner subject to the decision of the voters at the primary election March 9th.

William F. Widmayer.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of city commissioner subject to the decision of the voters at the primary election March 9.

C. R. Knollenberg.

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C. C. Berryman.

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G. V. Skinner.

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BANQUETS ENTIRE LEGISLATURE

Minneapolis, Minn., Feb. 3.—Governor W. S. Hammond, Lieutenant Governor J. A. A. Burnquist, Speaker H. H. Flowers of the house, and every one of the 197 members of the state legislature have been invited to be guests tonight of the Minneapolis Civic and Commerce association at a giant banquet. Nearly all have accepted, and the condition was made that politics and legislation would not be discussed. This afternoon the members of the legislature are visiting the University of Minnesota and the farm school, on their annual tour of inspeciton.

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M. F. Dunlap, President.
Dated December 16th, 1914.

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New York Grain Market

New York, Feb. 3.—Wheat—Spot, weak; No. 2 red, $1.69 and No. 2 hard winter, $1.69½ all rail cif track export; No. 1 Northern Duluth, $1.69; No. 1 Northern Manitoba, $1.66½ cif Buffalo.
Futures, weak; May, $1.66.
Corn—Spot, weak; No. 2 yellow, 85¾c to arrive.
Oats—Spot, easy; standard, 64½c; No. 3 white, 64c; fancy clipped white, 65½@67c.

New York Money Market

New York, Feb. 3.—Mercantile paper, 3½@4.
Sterling exchange, steady at decline; sixty day bills, 4.82; for cables, 4.84.05; for demand, 4.83.75.
Bar silver, 48c.
Mexican dollars, 37c.
Time loans, steady; sixty days, 2¾@2¾; ninety days, 2¾@3; six months, 3@3¼.
Call money, firmer; high, 2¾; low, 2; ruling rate, 2; last loan, 2¾; closing bid, 2; offered at 2¼.

CHICAGO CASH GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, Feb. 3.—Wheat—No. 2 red, $1.58@1.65; No. 3 red, $1.57@1.64; No. 2 hard winter, $1.58@1.65; No. 3 hard winter, $1.57@1.64; No. 3 spring, $1.48@1.54; No. 3 Nor. Spg. $1.48@1.54.
Corn—No. 2 mixed, 77@77¼c; No. 3 mixed, 75½@76¾c; No. 4 mixed, 74@76c; No. 2 white, 76@77c; No. 3 white, 75½@76c; No. 2 yellow, 78@79c; No. 3 yellow, 75½@76¾c; No. 4 yellow, 74@76c; No. 5 yellow, 73@74c.
Oats—No. 2 white, 58¾@59¾c; No. 3 white, 58¼@59½c; No. 4 white, 57¾@59¼c; standard, 58½@59¾c.

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From St. Louis .... 12:10 pm
Chicago "Red Hummer" ...1:55 am
South and West Bound—
St. Louis Accom., daily ...6:15 am
Kansas City-St. Louis local 11:15 am
St. Louis-Mexico Accom. ..4:10 pm
Kansas City Express .... 8:00 pm
Wabash
East Bound—
No. 72 local frgt, ex-Sun..1.1:10 am
No. 12 .... 9:45 pm
No. 52, daily .... 6:25 pm
No. 28, daily .... 2:13 am
No. 4, daily .... 8:30 am
No trains stop at Junction.
West Bound—
No. 9, daily .... 1:50 pm
No. 73, loc. freight, ex-Sun. 2:25 pm
No. 3, daily .... 7:15 am
No. 15, daily .... 5:15 pm
No. 53, Hannibal Accom...10:05 am
Burlington Route.
North Bound—
No. 47, daily, ex-Sunday..11:20 am
No. 11, daily, ex-Sunday.. 4:50 pm
South Bound—
No. 12, daily, ex-Sunday .. 6:55 am
No. 43, daily, ex-Sunday.. 2:08 pm
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No. 36, daily .... 7:40 am
No. 35, returns .... 11:34 am
No. 38, daily .... 3:05 pm

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WORLD'S MARKET NEWS

WHEAT MARKET BREAKS AFTER READING NEW HIGH RECORD

May Delivery Drops in Selling Panic at the Outset, but Shoots Back to $1.66—Subsequent Drop Leaves Prices Unstrung.

Chicago, Feb. 3.—Lightning like breaks and a startling bulge, covering an extraordinary range of 9¾c, demoralized the wheat market today and finally left prices unstrung at 4⅞c to 5¾c under last night. Other net losses were: corn 2¼c to 2⅝@2¾c; oats, 1⅝c to 2@2⅜c and provisions 5c to 20c.

In a selling panic at the outset, May wheat, which however, was not so actively traded in as July, fell 8¾c to $1.56⅝ and then—but only for a few minutes—shot skyward to $1.66, a new high record of the war season. Wild rumors of immediate probable opening of the Dardanelles and of a beginning of negotiations for peace were what chiefly caused the collapse of wheat at the start. Stoppage of export demand was responsible in the main for subsequent depression, it being said that steamship companies were making expensive and difficult requirements owing to the German submarine attacks.

Heavy calls for margins on speculative holdings had put the wheat trade in a position where only a spark was needed to bring about wild fire selling on the part of dealers unable to stand the severest strain. Besides the recent big advances had squeezed out short sellers and left the market without support until substantial warehouse concerns and similar interests felt called on to lend a hand.

Fresh speculative buying which on previous days had been so influential on new upturns was lacking; however, in the latest instance of a bulge and there was evident a decided movement by conservative firms to let wheat alone as much as possible and to confine investments more strictly to coarse grain and provisions. Margin calls of 20 cents a bushel on wheat were not unusual a rate exceeding any said to have ever been previously asked in Chicago.

Corn resisted selling pressure better than wheat, although rural offerings of corn to arrive showed an increase and there was no urgent shipping inquiry from the east. Exporters were in fact re-selling in some cases.

Oats like corn followed the general lead of wheat. The principal selling came from longs realizing profits.

Chicago Livestock Market

HOGS
Receipts, 16,000.
Market, strong, 15c to 20c higher.
Bulk of sales .... $7.05@7.20
Light .... 6.85@7.20
Mixed .... 6.85@7.25
Heavy .... 6.70@7.25
Rough .... 6.70@6.80
Pigs .... 5.60@6.75

CATTLE
Receipts, 4,000.
Market, firm.
Native steers .... $5.80@9.35
Western .... 5.25@7.70
Cows and heifers .... 3.20@8.25
Calves .... 8.25@11.75

SHEEP
Receipts, 6,000.
Market, strong.
Sheep .... $6.25@7.15
Yearlings .... 7.25@8.10
Lambs .... 7.50@9.10

St. Louis Livestock Market

HOGS
Receipts, 9,000.
Market, 10c higher.
Pigs and lights .... $6.00@7.00
Mixed .... 6.90@7.10
Good heavy .... 6.90@7.10

CATTLE
Receipts, 3,700.
Market, steady to lower.
Native beef steers .... $7.50@9.25
Cows and heifers .... 5.00@8.50
Stockers and feeders .. 5.25@7.25

SHEEP
Receipts, 3,000.
Market, 5c higher.
Native muttons .... $5.50@6.50
Lambs .... 8.25@9.05
Yearlings .... 7.00@7.75

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	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	$1.64	$1.66	$1.57	$1.59¼
July	1.41½	1.41⅝	1.37¼	1.38⅝
Corn—				
May	.83⅝	.83⅝	.80	.81
July	.85	.85	.82⅛	.82⅝
Oats—				
May	.61⅝	.61⅝	.59¼	.60
July	.58¼	.59	.56⅞	.57¼
Pork—				
May	19.75	19.85	19.55	19.60
July	20.10	20.22½	19.95	19.95
Lard—				
May	11.60	11.60	11.27½	11.40
July	11.60	11.70	11.50	11.55
Ribs—				
May	10.60	10.60	10.40	10.47½
July	10.82½	10.82½	10.67½	10.67½

ST. LOUIS CASH GRAIN.

St. Louis, Feb. 3.—Wheat—No. 2 red, $1.61½@1.63; No. 3 red, $1.60; No. 2 hard winter, $1.62½@1.65; No. 3 hard winter, $1.60@1.65.
Corn—No. 2, 77c; No. 3, 76@76½c; No. 4, 75½c; No. 2 white, 81c; No. 3 white, 77½c; No. 4 white, 74½@75c; No. 2 yellow, 78c; No. 3 yellow, 76½@77c; No. 4 yellow, 75½@76c.
Oats—No. 2, 58c; No. 3, 57c; No. 2 white, 59¼c; No. 3 white, 58¼@59c; No. 4 white, 58c; standard, 59¼c.

Minneapolis Grain Market

Minneapolis, Minn., Feb. 3.—Wheat—Higher; receipts, 237 cars compared with 232 a year ago.
Cash wheat—No. 1 hard, $1.53½; No. 1 Northern $1.48½@1.53; to arrive, $1.48½@1.53; No. 2 Northern, $1.46@1.50½; No. 3 wheat, $1.42@1.48.

LEADING STOCKS SUBJECTED TO PERSISTENT PRESSURE

Market is Dull and Irregular—Outstanding Feature is its Professional Character.

New York, Feb. 3.—The outsanding feature of today's dull and irregular stock market was its extremely professional character. Trading was almost entirely given over to that faction, which continued its operations on the bear side, judging from the quiet but persistent pressure upon leading issues for the greater part of the session.

United States Steel, which led yesterday's rise, kept well above its new minimum. Most of the selling concentrated upon Reading and Canadian Pacific, these stocks, particularly Reading, manifested some heaviness in the London market where the international list with few exceptions tended towards a lower level. Selling for foreign account here was not sufficiently large to affect quoted values.

There were some contrary movements in the industrial and special groups, petroleum shares adding to recent gains on reports of another advance in the price of the crude product. Fertilizer issues also scored substantial advances, while the sugar stocks declined precipitately during mid-session. Crossing prices in many instances were below yesterday's National Biscuit and Missouri Pacific developing sudden weakness. The cereal markets attracted less attention although May wheat once more moved in sensational fashion, suffering a severe decline at the close.

Commission houses with local connections report a marked decrease in wheat operations for New York account. Unofficial advices suggested a continuance of the large foreign demand for our foodstuffs and cotton.

New York Stock List

Last Sale.

Amalgamated Copper	54⅛
American Beet Sugar	37¾
American Cotton Oil	47
American Smelting and Ref'ng	62
American Sugar Refining	107
American Tel and Tel	120¼
Anaconda Mining Co.	27
Atchison	94⅛
Atlantic Coast Line	104½
Baltimore and Ohio	70½
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	87½
Canadian Pacific	157
Chesapeake and Ohio	44
Chicago and North Western	126
Chicago, Mil and St Paul	88
Colorado Fuel and Iron	23¼
Colorado and Southern	25
Delaware and Hudson	147
Denver and Rio Grande	6⅝
Erie	22¾
General Electric	142
Great Northern pfd	115
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	30
Illinois Central	107¾
Interborough-Met	12¼
Interborough-Met pfd	53¾
Inter Harvester	92
Louisville and Nashville	116⅞
Missouri Pacific	11⅛
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	10⅞
Lehigh Valley	135
National Lead	46
New York Central	89⅝
Norfolk and Western	102½
Northern Pacific	103⅞
Pennsylvania	105⅞
People's Gas	118
Pullman Palace Car	152¼
Reading	146½
Rock Island Co.	7⅛
Rock Island Co. pfd	15⅝
Southern Pacific	85⅝
Southern Railway	16½
Union Pacific	120
United States Steel	40⅝
United States Steel pfd	103½
Wabash	1⅝
Western Union	64⅛
New Haven	50
Bethlehem Steel	49½

New York Bond List.

U. S. ref. 2s, registered	99
U. S. ref 2s, coupon	99
U. S. 3s, registered	101½
U. S. 3s, coupon	101½
U. S. 4s, registered	110
U. S. 4s, coupon	110½
Panama 3s, coupon	101½

Peoria Grain Market

Peoria, Feb. 3.—Corn unchanged @ ¼c higher; No. 3 yellow, 76½c; No. 3 mixed, 76½c.
Oats—½c lower¼ No. 2 white, 58½c.

HOME MARKETS.

Grocers pay farmers:

Butter	30
Eggs	35
Lard	12 1-2
Bacon	12 1-2
Fresh ribs	10
Bones	8
Sausage	16
Turnips	75

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Geese	8c
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Turkeys	13c
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Jacksonville Creamery Co. is paying for butter fat this week..31c

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Timothy hay, per bale	95c
Timothy hay, per ton	19.00
Clover hay, per bale	95c
Alfalfa hay, per bale	85c
Alfalfa hay, per ton	19.00
Oats straw	60
Wheat straw	40c
Corn, per bushel	80
Bran, per cwt.	1.45
Cracked corn, per cwt.	$2.00
Coarse corn meal	$2.00

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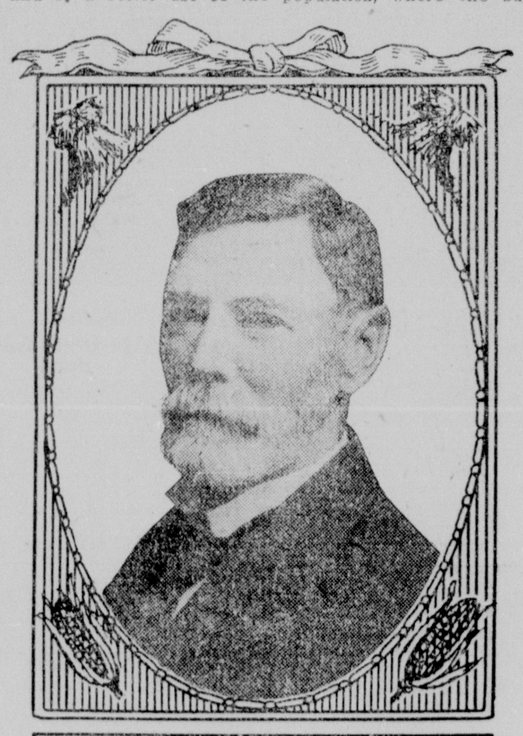
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INTRODUCTORY.

Food Production Must Be Increased.

It is said that history repeats itself; but we are approaching a time in the world's history that has had no parallel in the past. With population rapidly increasing; areas of tillable land practically stationary, with a slightly decreasing yield, it is possible for us to reach a time when the evils of a congested population may be greater than they ever were in Europe. The European congestion was relieved by the discovery of a new hemisphere; but all the world has now been discovered, and the future can realize no such relief. Nor can we depend on infant mortality, wars or pestilence to check the increase in population, because the scientific developments in our higher civilization tend toward less mortality and greater longevity; also to avoid wars and prevent pestinence. The remedy for us now to adopt is to grow more food on the land we have, and in a way that its productiveness may not be diminished for future use.

To grow better grain and more of it, is a worthy ambition for any man, because it is increasing the food supply. If we are to maintain our prosperity and preserve a higher civilization for coming generations an increased production on a permanent basis is necessary on the land now in use. With only small areas yet to be settled, the greater needs of an increasing population must be met through the use of land that is not now profitably productive and by a better use of the land that is now the most productive.



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The question of agricultural production is of vital interest to every one. The interest manifested by railroad officials, bankers, manufacturers and merchants; the increasing appropriations by congress and legislatures for agricultural investigation and study, is evidence that the importance of the problems of agriculture is being generally understood.

Organizations for the promotion of better farming are being formed throughout the country, and liberal endowments being made for some of them. It is hoped that many of these associations will attack the real problem. If their energy is directed merely to accomplish a better application of the art of agriculture, by which greater production can be gained by forcing more from an already depreciating soil, the ultimate result of such better farming association will have been injurious to society rather than beneficial, because it tends only to hasten the day of food deficiency by more rapidly exhausting the soil's fertility, while the people are kept blinded to the approcahing conditions. But if the dominant purpose be to promote a permanent system of agriculture, by which fertility may be improved and production increased on such basis, they will prove to be some of the most worthy associations that have ever been formed.

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The Farmers' Surplus.

To a large extent the business prosperity of the country is dependent on the farmers' surplus crops. It is the farmers' surplus that makes possible the great transportation industry. The farmers' surplus is the basis for the business of the bankers, merchants and manufacturers. Were there no surplus from the farms there would be no large cities, no railroads and no manufacturers. Without a farm surplus even those evidences of a better civilization—the school and church—would disappear. If the farm surplus should be much decreased, such a condition would seriously affect all the great business of the country, and compel a readjustment of business methods. On the other hand, if agricultural production can be made to keep pace with population, we shall realize a business prosperity such as has not been known before.

The farmer himself is interested in the farm surplus. It is from this means that the farmer and his family are able to meet the requirements of a better intelligence, and to participate in those things which come with higher civilization. Through his surplus he must acquire the comforts of a better home, and there is no reason why the farm should not have as many of those things which come with the modern heat, light and power as does the city home.

In a fertile area, where the surplus farm products are abundant, and have been abundant for a long time, we are liable to assume that such a condition is normal and permanent, and congratulate ourselves that we do not live in a poor country. But visit some of these areas that were once fertile but are now sparsely inhabited by a depreciated population, where the surplus products are almost limited to small sales of tobacco or poultry. Would not such a visit stir a deep resolution to avoid such systems of farming as had caused this soil depletion?

When the writer 'took to farming" it was with a firm belief that before many years the ratio between food production and consumption would so widen that the law of supply and demand would operate to establish such prices as would make farming profitable. Some rather serious conditions have been met during that time. There have been times when crops were sold at a price that was less than the fertilizer value of the crop; prices so low that fertilizer factories could have worked grain crops into mixed fertilizers and sold them at profit at fertilizer prices. However, we have now reached a time when the ratio between food production and population causes prices that will justify profitable agricultural production and permit of permanent soil treatment, notwithstanding the numerous handicaps that have been placed on agriculture by legislation and trust combinations.

The ratio now existing between farm products and population, and the prices that prevail because of this, is probably not far from the best ratio that could exist. Under this ratio the farm prices will justify a development of both the farm and the farmer; and such prices are no great burden on those not engaged in agriculture.

Notwithstanding the cry of high prices for food products from the manufacturing centers, the returns as wages to those engaged in food production is considerably below the average mechanic's wages. It is not products might attract, from the city to the country, more efficient labor, whereby the work of the farms could be done more readily and systematically. Any further great widening of the ratio would be out of balance, and would be reflected in the general prosperity and happiness of the whole people. Likewise, if the ratio should be greatly diminished it would bring back the period of agricultural poverty which would also be reflected in the general prosperity of the whole people.

When we consider how easily the agricultural production can be increased it looks as though the food production might more than overtake the increasing population, but when we consider the slight difficulties attending increased production as well as realize the lethargy of so many land owners, we must conclude, that, as a people, we will be fortunate if the production merely keeps pace with the increasing population.

While the agricultural interests are now in a fairly satisfactory position, the same is not universally true regarding the manufacturing interests, and the farmers can look with complacency, at least, at the squirmings, under popular wrath, of many of the over-developed-in-capacity, so-called, business interests, to adjust themselves to normal demand, by combinations to limit production and fix arbitrary prices.

Faults in Distribution.

Much attention has been given for a few decades to the development of railroads and other means of transportation, except the country roads, and the problems of transportation have been quite well settled; so that transportation is now probably a minimum charge in the distribution of products. There are, however, other factors of distribution that need to be given consideration looking to a solution. These factors in distribution relate chiefly to the "middleman," his duties and his compensation. It is outrageous that people in cities are compelled to pay 100 or more per cent over the country price for country products, and much of the so-called high cost of living is due to the crude and unsystematic methods used in the general system of distribution. The country price for country products is an open book and can be readily ascertained, so that buyers in the cities can know what advance they pay over the country price. But when the farmer buys a manufactured article he frequently pays from 100 to 1,000 per cent over the cost, for he has no way of knowing the cost. One of the next problems for the people to solve is that of economical distribution of products.

As the increase in food production is necessary for business prosperity and for the preservation of civilization, it is the dominant universal problem.

How Can Increased Yields be Secured

The trade of agriculture is old. Cain and Abel were the first farmers; one being a grain and the other a livestock farmer. From that time till now the art of agriculture has been practiced in every country and in every climate. All the different methods that could be developed by the art of agriculture have been practiced. Different methods of plowing: deep, shallow, and subsoiling, and different ways of turning the furrow. Different methods of seeding, and different depths of planting, and different amounts of seed. Rotation of crops in every possible combination, and for every possible purpose. Selection and improvement of seed for specific purposes. Adaption of certain crops to certain kinds of soil. What more can be included in the art of agriculture? The ancients knew all of these; but the production was not maintained nor the fertility of the soils preserved.

The general claim is frequently made that nothing more can be done to produce large crops than good farming; that is, to use the best methods in the art of agriculture. Much of the advice that is now given for growing better crops is related to these practices known to the art of agriculture, and to which not much science has been applied. It is frequently held that certain methods relating to plowing, planting, seeding and breeding were the most efficient means of growing the largest crops. One man may claim that deep plowing is the principal requirement for a large crop; while another may hold the same view with reference to shallow cultivation. There are still radical advocates of all these methods, each one contending that his scheme is the essential thing.

In view of the hundreds of years of experience in the art of agriculture, it would be remarkable if it were left to this day to discover that increased production could come from any of these methods that have been so long practiced. These questions all relate to the art of farming, and the fact that they have been in controversy ever since there was a history of agriculture, is sufficient proof that no one of them nor all of them can be considered as essential requirements for increased production on a permanent basis; but that each contention meets times and conditions when it is the greatest temporary relief, and hence the variety of opinions concerning the different customs. The improvement of crops by breeding has also been advocated as the means of securing higher production; and another "new" method strongly advocated as being the only requirement, is the thorough testing and grading of seed to insure the most perfect stand.

Breeding of Crops.

Very much is to be gained in the future through the scientific breeding of grain crops. Most of the improved varieties of grains have heretofore been the result of accidental mutants that have been discovered and propagated, but the scientific plant breeder of recent years has more knowledge regarding the laws of heredity, through which he is more able to develop and fix the more desirable characteristics of grains, and to eliminate those that are objectionable. This, however, requires a long-time study of the variable characters of the different crops and great skill in their manipulation, so that it is not a line of work in which an ordinary farmer would be likely to gain much success. It is more strictly in line with the work of the agricultural college and experiment station, and a number of them are doing excellent work with the common crops.

With the development of better producing varieties of grains, it should be remembered, there will come more rapid soil exhaustion, under systems of farming that are not on a permanent basis, because such improved varieties will simply work the soil harder which is already being depleted of its fertility. Those who are adopting systems that will permanently maintain fertility can afford to work their land harder, and should give every encouragement to the scientific plant breeders, that they may develop more productive varieties of all crops.

(To be continued)

A WELCOME VISITOR.

Rev. H. L. Fritschell of Milwaukee, Head of the Passavant Hospital Work Spends a Day in the City.

When the late Dr. Passavant passed away his place as general manager of the chain of hospitals founded by that prince of philanthropists, was taken by Rev. Herman L. Fritschell, a capable gentleman who had done excellent work in that responsible position. The chief work now is in Milwaukee where the mother house is situated and a large hospital. There are hospitals at Pittsburg, Chicago, an orphans' home in Zelionople, Pennsylvania and a home for epileptics in Rochester also in the Keystone state.

The gift of the property in this city by the sainted Mrs. Eliza Ayers is also well known and the work it has done. For many years it was also conducted by the same organization that controls the others. The Association for Works of Benevolence and Mercy of the Evangelical Lutheran church, but in the summer of 1906 the management of the hospital in this city yas handed over by a lease to the churches of the city although Mr. Fritschel has ever had a fatherly interest in it and dear Sister Caroline made occasional visits here as long as she lived on earth.

Yesterday Mr. Fritschel arrived in the city for a friendly conference with the management and the executive board, J. R. Loar, president; S. W. Nichol, vice president; Prof. J. G. Ames, secretary and Drs. A. L. Adams and Carl E. Black met the gentleman at the hospital and all took dinner together there.

Mr. Fritschell looked all over the property and expressed himself as greatly delighted with the new nurses' home which he had not seen. He also was greatly pleased with the management of the institution and the fine financial showing it has made.

He earnestly hopes when the time comes that a strong effort will be made to secure the much needed new buildings and improvement for no institution could be more worthy. He left last evening for Wilwaukee.

SINCLAIR.

Charles Evans is delivering his corn at the Fox elevator.

James Mahon has gone to Brighton, Jersey county, on business.

George Wheeler lost two horses by cornstalk disease.

James Hodgson of New Berlin visited E. E. Fox and family Jan. 26.

William Richardson shipped one load of fat hogs to Chicago Monday.

Mrs. Elisha Bingham visited your scribe recently.

Mrs. John Hickman of Jacksonville was buried at Hebron Thursday, Jan. 28th.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lamkenler visited a few days in the city.

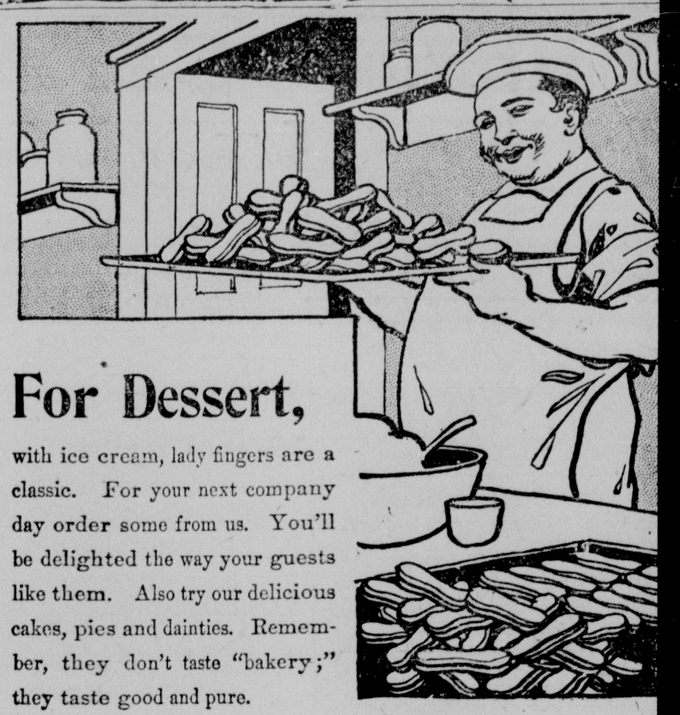
Horace Swain is at home nursing a sore nose resulting from a basket ball game.

N. B. Fox is on the sick list. Rheumatism and a sore wrist are his ailments. Dr. Fortune of Literberry is his physician.

Mrs. Charles Spiker has been visiting her brother, John Rymen of Alexander.

COURAGE IS COMMON IN THIS WAR.

London, Jan. 28.—Every Englishman knows how to die bravely. The Irish, Scotch and English soldiers face the bayonets, the machine guns as though out on dress parade. It is the men who sicken and die in the trenches, or at home after an arduous campaign that our sympathy goes out to most. There are thousands of such men behind the battle lines who went to the front without the strong constitution and good pure blood to withstand the deprivations, the hardships of the campaign in Belgium and France. It'sa warning that we should pay strict attention to our stomach, liver and blood. If one is all out of sorts he should take an invigorating tonic and alterative such as Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery which cures diseases of the stomach and organs of digestion and nutrition. It eliminates from the blood disease breeding poisons. It makes the blood rich and pure, and furnishes a foundation for sound, physical health. Fifty years ago, Dr. Pierce, of the Invalid's Hotel and Surgical Institute, at Buffalo, N. Y., found that certain barks and roots manufactured by using glycerine without the use of alcohol or opiates made into a concentrated extract, which he called Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, made a stimulating tonic for the simulation of the food and eradicated stomach, helped the digestion and as-poisons from the blood. This is nature's cure for indigestion, and by correcting the stomach, and thereby feeding the blood on pure materials, the red blood corpuscles are increased and te body established in a healthy state. No one suffers from catarrh who has plenty of red blood corpuscles and a good digestion. Catarrh in all its forms is a stagnation of the blood. Introduce pure red blood into the system by taking the "Medical Discovery" and health is assured.—Adv.



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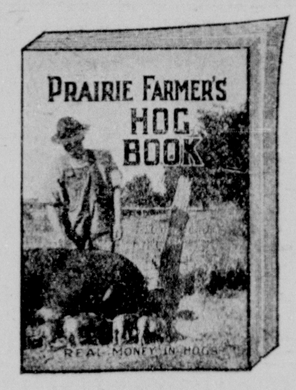
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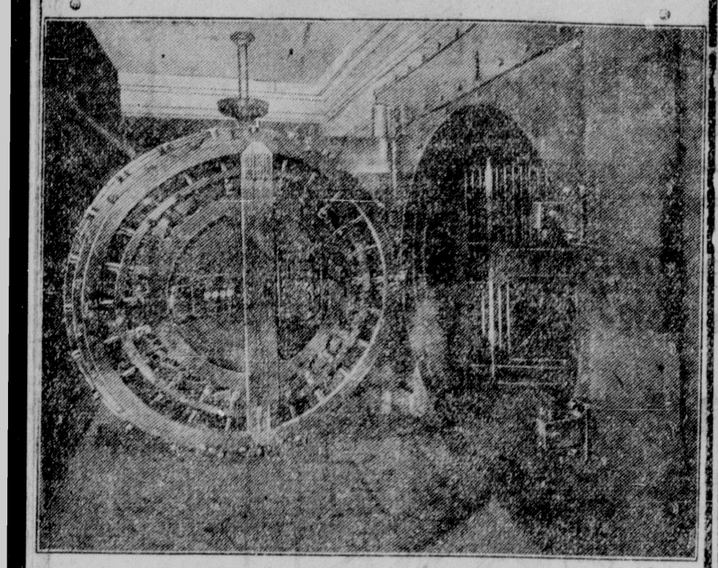
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Seth Adkisson, who has been a guest of his brother, Orville Adkisson of Grove street, returned a few days since to his home in Roseville, Warren county. He was accompanied by Mrs. Adkisson, who will visit relatives of her husband and will be a guest of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Frank Hamilton.

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Shanahan & Shanahan's SPECIALS
For This Week Only

3 cans pork and beans with tomato sauce	25c
Ben Davis apples, per peck	25c
8 packages of toilet paper	25c
6 bars Kirk White soap	25c
6 bars Sunny Munday soap	25c
7 bars Lantz Gloss soap	25c
3 boxes Matches	10c
3 large cans tomatoes	25c
3 large cans peas	25c
3 large cans corn	25c
3 large cans Kidney beans	25c
3 large cans string beans	25c
4 lbs. navy beans	25c
4 lbs. Japan rice	25c
6 lbs. flake hominy	25c
6 lbs. cracked hominy	25c
Loose raisins, per pound	10c
2 lbs. prunes	25c
Kraut, per gallon	25c
2 lbs. lard	25c
3 large cans of milk	25c
6 small cans milk	25c

Sweet, sour and dill pickles in bulk.

Ill. 262— Both Phones— Bell 673
237 East State Street.

WESTMINSTER PEOPLE CONCUR IN ACTION DESIRED BY REV. DAVIS

Presbytery Will Be Asked to Dissolve the Pastoral Relation—Resignation Will Become Effective the Last Sunday in March.

A meeting of the congregation of Westminster church was held Wednesday night following the regular prayer service to act upon the resignation of the pastor, Rev. L. L. Davis. The resignation which is to take effect March 28th, was read by W. T. Brown and before a vote was taken, Mr. Davis said that he asked as a personal favor that each and every member present vote to accept the resignation and to join with him in asking the Presbytery to dissolve the pastoral relation. Acquiescing to this earnest wish of the pastor the vote to accept the resignation was unanimous.

Some words of appreciation were spoken and Frank Elliott, Dr. C. H. Rammelkamp and C. W. Taylor were named a committee on resolutions. Messrs. Ensley Moore and W. T. Brown were designated commissioners to the Presbytery to petition for the severing of the pastoral relation. A business session had been arranged for last night for the consideration of the budget for the coming year but it was determined to postpone this session for one week.

New spring sample hats, $2.48. The Emporium.

THE FARMERS' CLUB.

Attention is again called to the meeting of the Morgan County Farmers' club which will be held next Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock at the court house. Oat planting and the disposition of corn stalks will be the special subejcts for consideration. There will be several speakers, but following the general policy of the club, the general discussion of the subjects will probably be the most interesting feature.

Children's all wool serge dresses, $3.00 for 98c. The Emporium.

BUYING HOGS.

Douglas Smith of the region of Crackers Bend is busily engaged just now in buying hogs for the Jacksonville Packing company, his purchases this week amounting to three car loads sent in from the Joy Prairie station. He has paid $6.35 a hundred for them or as much as the market will justify and the farmers get their money right at home without the trouble and risk of shipping.

Ill. Coll. Chorus sings "The Black Knight" at State St. Church Friday evening, Feb. 5th.

ADDRESSED PETERSBURG WOMEN

Mrs. J. H. Danskin went to Petersburg Thursday to make an address before the Woman's club. Her theme was "Woman's Duties and Opportunities As a Citizen." The meeting was held under the auspices of the legislative department of the club and Mrs. Danskin was secured to fill a vacancy on the program occasioned by the inability of Senator Hugh Magill to go to Petersburg. The Woman's club there is one of the best organized in the state and is doing active work in all of its several departments.

COAT SALE.

Balance of week only choice assortment of 25 coats, values up to $30.00. See sindow .$9.98.
C. J. DEPPE & CO.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

Arrangements for the funeral of David Taylor have not been completed. The services will be held at the residence, 908 East Lafayette avenue, but the date has not yet been set.

Eureka College Glee Club Concert Central Christian Church Feb. 4, 25c.

FRANKLIN VISITORS.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jolly, Charles Hart, J. G. Dowell, Fred Burch, Charles Reeve, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Roberts, Charles P. Seymour and Wallard Seymour, were among the Franklin visitors in the city Wednesday.

RAILROAD NOTES

Trainmen Allowed for Preparatory Time.

There was a conference held Tuesday afternoon in the office of Superintendent S. P. Henderson of the officials and trainmasters of the Alton to discuss the best methods of handling the new system of preparatory time which was allowed in the recent schedule meeting and which is embodied in the new agreement granted the trainmen.

Under the new arrangement train men will be allowed time from the moment that they report for duty in the yards. In the past their time commenced when their train left a terminal and it was customary for the crews to report ahead of time in order to check up their train, draw supplies and make other preparations. The trainment committee maintained that it was unfair to the men to report and do considerable terminal work without any remuneration.

The officials decided to respect the request of the committee and the object of Tuesday's conference was to determine just how much preparatory time was necessary. It was brought out that some trains required more work than others and that it might be best to vary the amount of preparatory time, in conformity with the needs of the train.

After along discussion it was decided that a uniform period of thirty minutes would be the best for all concerned, thus eliminating any argument or misunderstanding that might ensue if there was a variable schedule.

Hereafter, therefore, all crews will be paid for thirty minutes of preparatory time and all orders for trains will be based upon a thirty minute margin before the train is due to leave. Trainmaster J. E. Farrell of Springfield and Trainmaster Frank Shuman of Roodhouse, took part in the discussion. All terminals will be affected by this ruling.

E. M. Linzee is Transferred.

The transfer of E. M. Linzee, the milk traffic agent for the Alton with headquarters at Springfield, to St. Louis as chief clerk to W. H. Abel, general passenger agent at that terminal, will take place tomorrow, Feb. 5. Mr. Linzee has been in charge of milk traffic for the past four years, succeeding J. B. McLean, who resigned to go to the Illinois Traction System. Mr. Linzee has been a frequent business visitor to Jacksonville during these years and has made many friends here who will be glad to hear of his well deserved promotion. The successor of Mr. Linzee is Mr. E. A. Weiberg, now city passenger agent at Peoria, who was formerly located at Springfield. To succeed Mr. Weiberg, J. W. Yarkey, now of the Chicago ticket office, and formerly ticket clerk for the company at Bloomington has been appointed and will take charge of the Peoria office the last of the week.

Conductor Burdick Back.

Conductor Charles Burdick of St. Louis who has charge of Alton trains 32 and 33 and who for the past few days has been ill at his home, was yesterday able to be back on the job. It is understood that Harry Rule, who has been filling Burdick's place, will relieve Conductor Grady on 15 and 16 for the next few weeks.

Joseph Ogle of St. Louis, traveling passenger agent of the Henderson Route, was a business visitor in the city Wednesday.

New Scale in Effect.

The new scale of pay for Alton passenger flagmen as arranged at the recent schedule conference, went into effect February 1. The flagmen on the Dwight accomodatio and Joliet suburban runs, who handle the milk cans, were allowed $86 per month, the regular pay of the baggagemen. This is an increase of $7.00 per month. The other flagmen, who formerly drew $79.30, will hereafter be allowed $81.00, the same as allowed by other roads. While these increases are not large, yet the men affected are glad to be remembered, and the extra dollars will come in handy.

WAIST SPECIAL.

For balance of week only—JUST RECEIVED direct from New York manufacturer— the choicest shirt waists of the season—$1.98. See window.

C. J. DEPPE & CO.

OFFICERS ELECTION BY I. C. STUDENT ASSOCIATION.

The Illinois College Students association held an election of officers Wednesday as follows:

President—Viggo Jensen.

Vice President—Robert A. Butcher.

Sec. and Treas.—Miss Ruth Weyend.

A resolution was read by Miss Irene Moore setting forth the various reasons why the girls of the college should be given a voice in the affairs of the association.

Genuine $6.00 French Coney muffs, $1.98. The Emporium.

PRAECIPE IS FILED.

Praecipe was filed Wednesday with Circuit Clerk Eugene D. Pyatt by Wm. N. Hairgrove in the suit of Dessie A. Webster, Roy R. Webster and Jed Webster vs. Royal Benefit Society, assumpsit. The complainants ask damages of $1,200.

CATTLE IN GOOD CONDITION.

The cattle on the farm of James Vieira, northeast of the city, were found in good condition by the state inspectors Wednesday.

Last Week of This Great January Clearance Sale

Have you attended this great sale yet? If not, don't delay any longer. Dress Goods, Silks, Muslins, Hosiery, Underwear, Table Linen, Dress Ginghams, Coats, Suits, Dress Skirts and Trimmed Hats will not be so cheap again. All goods are again steadily advancing. By March we predict you are going to pay same old high prices that prevailed all last fall. Let this be your week of money saving. Come here that we may show you.

Coats! Coats! at $5.00 Each

See a few of the many we have at our front door. Coats that sold up to $17.50, your choice for $5.00

Ladies' Coats
at Less Than Manufacturer's Cost

Black, Navy, Brown and Green, beautiful late models, and now priced at... $8.98, $10.98 and $11.98

Dress Skirt Specials, $4.00

Entirely new model Skirts that formerly sold at $5.50 and $6.50, reduced for January clearance ... $4.00

Trimmed Hats at $1, $1.50 and $2

Come in our Millinery Department and just see what hat values the above price will bring you.

Untrimmed Shapes, velvet or felt; at 50c and 75c.

Furs

Any price of neck fur in our house at less than cost to close out.

Sweater Coats

Ladies,' Misses' or Children's at less than cost to close out.

Don't forget our DRESS GOODS AND SILKS. You can save 25 to 33 1-3 per cent, but this week only. ALWAYS CASH

FLORETH COMPANY

COLD WEATHER

Coats, Suits and Furs Are Now Being Offered at This Store at Very Low Prices

Despite the unusual interest and gratifying patronage accorded our sale during the past two weeks, excellent values are still to be had. If you have not already availed yourself of the savings to be had in practically every part of the store, you should come down and let us tell you of the seasonable reductions still prevailing.

LADIES' SUITS
One lot of suits of the past season's selling values up to $27.50—all splendid garments—while they last, your choice at $3.9

LADIES' SKIRTS
One lot exceptional values in Ladies' Dress Skirts. They come in the solid colors and all styles. Especially priced for quick clearance at $4.95

WOMEN'S HOSIERY
Women's Silk Lisle Hose of the well known Topsy Black Geneva yarn, the best values in hosiery ever offered at the special price of two pair for 25c

WOOL BLANKETS
These Wool Blankets are very much in demand at this time and are just the thing these frosty nights. They come in solid colors and plaids. $6.50 values especially priced at.... $4.98

VISIT OUR COAT AND SUIT DEPARTMENT, AS WINTER COATS AND SUITS ARE SELLING AT GREAT REDUCTIONS

C. J. DEPPE & COMPANY
Known for Ready-to-Wear.

February Sale

Our regular FEBRUARY SALE commences Monday, the first, and continues throughout the month, ending up with our big ANNUAL MAJESTIC RANGE SALE the last week.

This firm's motto has always been to give our customers BETTER prices. This we accomplish by not spending so much for large expensive advertisements.

REMEMBER, WE MEET ALL COMPETITION

both as to SALE price and REGULAR prices. We never allow ourselves to be undersold. Our long experience, knowing where and how to buy, together with our low overhead expenses, make all this possible.

WE SELL CHEAPER AND WE KNOW IT; SO WILL YOU IF YOU WILL ONLY TAKE TIME TO COMPARE PRICES AND GOODS.

Johnson, Hackett & Guthrie
East Side the Square.

PHONE 309.
HILLERBY'S
DRY GOODS STORE

Because of the bad weather last week—**The House of Butterick** wired us we could have **one more week** to get subscriptions for the World's Fashion Authority,

The Delineator

So here's your last opportunity to get **The Delineator 12 months for 75 cents.**

The February number has 23 articles besides the Fashions, something interesting for every member of every family. You can't afford to do without it. There isn't a household so perfect but that the expert articles in the **Delineator** will make the wheels run easier.

Just call up 309—either phone. You'll be glad you have it for 12 months in the year.

Safest Place to Trade.



HOPPER'S

Season End Sale

We are offering this season some of the best bargains in footwear we were ever privileged to offer. It is our clean up method.

$2.50—SPECIALS—$2.50



You will find in these special lots at $2.50 for men and women many of this season's best selling styles—$3.50, $4.00 and $4.50 values now to clean up only $2.50. You cannot afford to overlook these lots of shoes at such money-saving prices. Watch our windows.

$5—Stacy-Adams Shoes, all styles—$5

Our Bargain Counter
Affords a good chance to buy children's shoes at popular prices.

Daniel Green
Comfy Felt Slippers
Now 75c and $1.00

Strictly Cash
All Sale Shoes are sold Strictly Cash

MRS. ELLA B. CLARKSON DIES AT MURRAYVILLE

Succumbs to Illness After Ten Days Duration—Funeral Will be Friday and Burial in Manchester Cemetery.

Mrs. Ella B. Judd Clarkson died at the family residence, two miles south east of Murrayville Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock after an illness of ten days. Although ill for only a few days she had not been in good health for a long time.

She was born in Marietta, Ohio, July 1, 1862 and came to Illinois with her adopted father. He only stayed here a short time and returned to Ohio. On December 20, 1881 at Winchester, Ill., she was married to C. B. Clarkson. They first lived in the vicinity of Manchester and for one year resided in Mississippi. Four years ago they removed to their present home, where they have since resided.

Besides the husband she leaves the following children, Wardie Ray of San Diego, Calif.; Juddie Chapman, Roodhouse; Cinnick Batty, Mayme Andras and Elizabeth Clarkson at home. She also leaves one sister, Mrs. Deliah Temple of Akron, Ohio and Elisha Kendall of Harrietsville, Ohio.

Mrs. Clarkson was a kind neighbor, a loving wife and a good neighbor. She was a member of the Presbyterian church at Manchester and was interested in everything that stood for the best in life. She had many friends who will learn of her death with much sorrow.

The funeral will be conducted Thursday morning at 10 o'clock from the M. E. church in Murrayville, in charge of Rev. C. S. McCollom. Interment will be made in the Manchester cemetery.

Just received shipment of skirts. The Emporium.

BIRTH RECORD.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Costello, southeast of the city, at Our Savior's hospital, a daughter.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. James Shanahan, southwest of the city, a son.

NOTICE.

I will not be responsible for any bills whatever contracted by any person but myself.

J. E. Woods.

WANTED—In our millinery deparement, 2 assistant makers. Apply in person. Floreth Co. 2-4-1t

FOR RENT—House, west end, about Mar. 1. All modern conveniences. Heat furnished. Reasonable price to right party. "S" care Journal. 2-4-7t

A NEW DEPARTMENT AT BROOK MILL

For a long time the Brook Mill, under the capable management of J. H. Cain & Sons has made a specialty of flour, meal and all kinds of feed and recently the managers decided to add rye flour to the list of their products and accordingly a stock of grain was secured and the company is able to buy the greater part of the supply of local farmers.

The grain was secured and thoroughly cleaned so that each grain shines with cleanness and brightness and then was put through the various rollers and processes.

There is a slight difference between the way in which rye is ground from the process used for wheat though the machinery is practically the same and the flour looks fine.

A Journal reporter had the pleasure of inspecting the work from the beginning to the end and was pleased with the thorough manner in which it was done and the fine article produced.

The Conservatory Orchestra, under Mr. Kritch, at State St. Church Friday evening. Tickets at Brown's.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Willie W. Wood et al to Wemple Brothers, warranty deed, part w 1-2 ne 1-4 26-13-9. $413.53.

Elizabeth Black et al to Elizabeth Wells, quit claim deed, part lot 19 Hackett and McClung's addition to Jacksonville. $1.00.

Sydney P. Jones et al to Mary M. Jones et al, quit claim deed, lots 16, etc., Gallaher's addition to Jacksonville. $1.00.

Elizabeth Wells to Augusta Waggoner, warranty deed, part lot 19 Hackett and McClung's addition to Jacksonville. $1.00.

Alexander G. Campbell to Rosa Campbell, warranty deed, part lot 17 and 16 Askew and Springer's addition Jacksonville. $1.00.

WAIST SPECIAL.

For balance of week only—JUST RECEIVED direct from New York Manufacturer—the choicest shirt waists of the season—$1.98. See window.

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ILL WITH TYPHOID.

Cecil Tendick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tendick of Tendick street was taken Wednesday forenoon to Passavant hospital, suffering with typhoid fever. She had been ill for the past week and was taken to the hospital as soon as the attending physician pronounced the disease typhoid.

COAT SALE.

Balance of week only, choice assortment of 25 coats, values up to $30.00. See sindow .$9.98.

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MUCH PROPERTY DISPOSED OF AT TWO PUBLIC SALES

W. E. McCurley Sells Stock and Grain and Administration Sale of D. D. Robinson is Held Near Alexander.

W. E. McCurley, who resies 1 1-2 miles south of Woodson held a public sale Wednesday, which was largely attended. The bidding was spirited and everything commanded good prices. Lunch was served by the Ladies' Aid society of the Woodson church. C. Justus Wright and H. E. Spencer were the auctioneers and Thomas Irlam acted as clerk.

Some of the prices which prevailed follows: One span of mules, $355, to George Cockil. Alexander; one pair of mares, $392.52 to Elijah Bacon, Murrayville; one bay mare, $190, to Elijah Bacon; bay horse, $175, William Douglass, Franklin; three year old horse $127.50; other horses brought from $75.00 down. Shetland pony, $59.00 to John Smith.

Milch cows, $50 to $62 per head; calves, $14 to $35 per head; yearling heifers, $38 to $48; stock hogs $6.25 to $7.10 per head; gilts, $15 to $17 per head.

Seed corn, $1 to $1.25 per bu.; rye straw, 27c per bale; hedge posts, small size, 6c and 7c per post; large size, 75c to $2.50 per post. Farming implements brought satisfactory prices.

Sale at D. D. Robinson's.

A sale of livestock was held Wednesday at he farm of D. D. Robinson, seven miles northeast of Alexander, by the administrator, E. A. Walbaum of Pleasant Plains. The auctioneers were William Braker and Jerry Cox. The offering brought fairly good prices and sold rapidly. Yearling colts averaged from $40.00 to $67.50. Gilts sold for $15 to $16. Cows brought good prices. About thirty three head of horses and colts were auctioned off. Mares and geldings averaged $145 to $225. Brood mares sold well. One stallion, Major Hal, sold for $185.

Mr. Ernie Burnett who has composed "Tomorrow" and several of the latest popular music will be at our store Thursday and Friday from 11 to 1 and 4 to 6 to demonstrate these pieces. You will hear some wonderful singing by Mr. Burnett's trio of male voices.

F. W. WOOLWORTH & CO.
5c and 10c Store, S. Side Square.

HAS ANOTHER SAMPLER.

Mrs. R. R. Stevenson of Prospect street, has a sampler which is nearly one hundred years old. It was made by Mrs. Stevenson's grandmother when she was a young girl and naturally the present owner greatly values the piece of "fancy work."

WELSH-MURRAY WEDDING AND RECEPTION CELEBRATION

Hundreds of Guests are Entertained at Bride's Home Wednesday.

The marriage of Michael Welsh and Miss Agnes K. Murray was solemnized Wednesday morning at the Church of Our Savior by the Rev. Dean Crowe. The attendants were Miss Birdie O'Meara and Mr. John Whalen. The bride was beautifully gowned in a white charmeuse satin dress, trimmed with an overdress of lace. She wore a white plush hat and carried a magnificent bouquet of brides roses. Miss O'Meara, as bridesmaid, wore a gown of white chiffon, a black velvet hat with white plumes, and carried pink roses.

Immediately after the ceremony the wedding party enjoyed a wedding breakfast at the bride's home near Woodson, seven miles south of the city.

Guests for the reception were invited for three o'clock. There were between three hundred and fifty and four hundred friends present at the Murray homestead between the hour of three in the afternoon and late at night. Until an early hour this morning the guests were still making merry by dancing and a general good time.

A platform was built to the south of the house and enclosed in a large tent. This was heated by stoves and furnished an excellent place for dancing. Good music was furnished here by Miss Dora Angelo and Mr. Luther Culp. It it needless to state that the efforts of of the musicians were much appreciated and taken advantage of by the dancers.

During the hours a bountiful five course dinner was served to every one present. A great number of turkeys, chickens, and ducks were relished by the guests and it was not until a late hour last night that all had been fed. Owing to the large number present it can be easily understood what an undertaking, in a culinary sense, the feeding of the hundreds present was. To the success of this part of the program credit is due to all of these who assisted in helping at the tables, and in preparing the food for the guests, Especial credit for the success of this part of the evening's diversion is due to Miss Katie Doolin and Miss Maymie Murray, a sister of the bride.

The affair was undoubtedly one of the largest receptions, dances and dinners ever given in the county and will be long remembered by those present as one of the most enjoyable of such events ever given anywhere.

Mr. and Mrs. Welsh were the recipients of a great number of handsome and useful presents. The gifts received yesterday by them occupied most of the space in one of the rooms of the house. The remembrances of their friends will in a great measure help the young people in starting housekeeping as most of the presents were of a useful nature.

They will establish their new home in the vicinity of Lynnville and the reception yesterday is certainly proof of their popularity with all who know them. They have the best wishes of all for a long and happy life.

Guests were present Wednesday for miles around and many came from distances. New Berlin, Winchester and Roodhouse were among the towns represented at the celebration.

Jacksonville lodge No. 570, A. F. & A. M. will hold a special and stated meeting tonight at 6 o'clock. Work. Lunch will be served. Visiting brethren welcome.

C. A. Rose, W. M.
E. L. Kinney, Secretary.

AN INTERESTING PIECE OF WORK.

Mrs. C. Riggs Taylor has placed in the front window of the Farmers' Bank & Trust Co. a unique piece of work made away back in 1806 in Chester, Pennsylvania. It is something after the style of the samplers our grandmothers used to make and it contains some excellent precepts wrought by the maker. First come some lines:

"Be sovreign grace the guardian of my youth;
May heaven born virtue in my breast preside;
While wisdom, honor, innocence and truth
Attend my steps and all my actions guide."

On one side beneath the lines is wrought the name of Ezra Hoopes and on the opposite side, Ann Hoopes, and below both, Phebe Hoopes. The work was doubtless fine in its day and now it is a treasure of great value on account of its age, its sentiments and the memory of the maker.

Mr. Clark Shipp, tenor, sings Friday evening at State St. Church at Midwinter Concert.

PROBATE COURT NEWS.

In the matter of Frank W. Thomas. New bond of guardian approved as filed. Sureties on and former bond declared discharged.

In the matter of the estate of Thomas Denby. Petition to rent real estate heard and allowed.

In the matter of the estate of Henry Schaffer. Appointment of inheritance tax appraiser. It appearing to the court that there is an inheritance tax due from said estate, E. P. Brockhouse is appointed to appraise said estate and report on tax due.

SUPPER.

At Grace Church tonight at 6:30. Everybody welcome.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

G. Ernest Reed, Springfield; Georgina Roberts, Jacksonville.

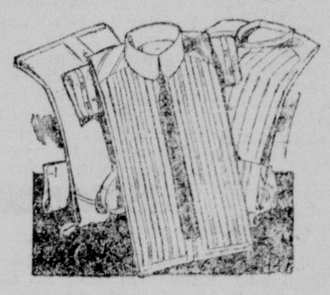
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You'll see displayed in our east window a choice assortment of

Spring Shirts

which are unusual quality for what we have them priced. Your choice of any of them,

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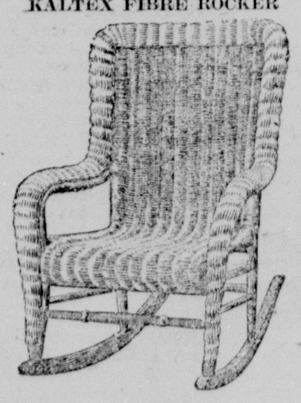


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Our Great Half Yearly February Sale

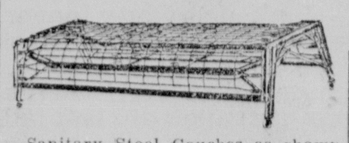
has many items of interest to the economical buyer of Furnishings for the home. You will find the rarest bargains here that ever signalized a February Sale in this or another city. But see for yourself—deeds, not words, count most. Here are a few example

KALTEX FIBRE ROCKER



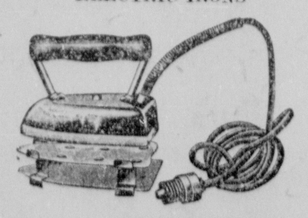
Almost indestructible, made of paper fibre, will not break and is water proof finished, baronial. A very comfortable rocker, worth $5.50. 17th Annual Semi Annual Sale Price **$3.50**

SANITARY COUCHES



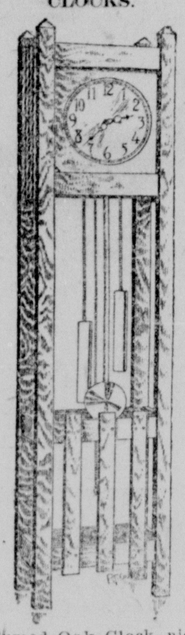
Sanitary Steel Couches as shown nonrustable steel fabric, oiltempered support spring during our 17th Semi Annual Sale Price **$2.95**

ELECTRIC IRONS

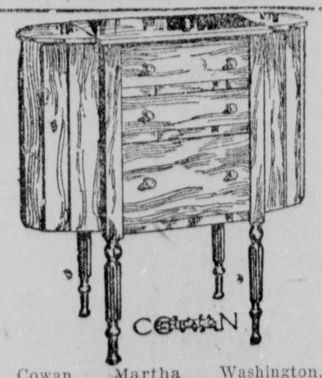


Electric as shown with silk drop cord, worth $3.50 now **$2.45**

CLOCKS.



This Fumed Oak Clock, nicely finished. A wonderful value at $8.50. Now.... **$4.75**

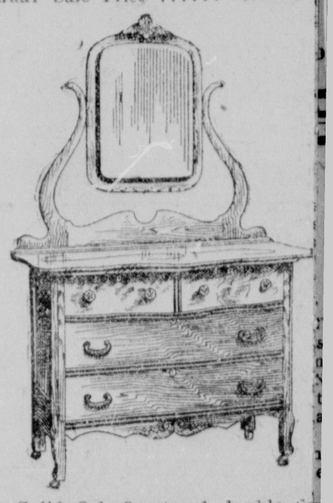


Cowan, Martha Washington, solid Mahogany Sewing Table **$12.50**

SOLID OAK ROCKERS



Finished in early English and Golden Oak, Solid Oak throughout and Quarter Sawed, a rocker worth $3.50. 17th Semi Annual Sale Price **$1.8**



Solid Oak Quartered double Sepentine Front, French Plate Mirror colonial designed feet, a great value at $13.50. **$9.8**

Felt Mattress Special—45 lb. weight, full size $5.65

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